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WANTS.

ADVERTISEMENTS of To Let, Wanted, Etc., under these heads, four lines or under 25 cents for each insertion; and pro rata for more space or longer time.

WANTED—A good female cook to go to Kokstlah. Apply room No 2 Clarence Hotel between 11 and 2 o'clock. my30-3t

WANTED—A good general servant. Apply at 59 Superior street. m30

WANTED—To rent a small furnished house in eligible portion of the city for the summer and fall. About 5 or 6 rooms, within easy distance of Post office. Address J. P. Tompkins Manor House Vancouver. my26-1w

WANTED—A residence. Will rent or buy. If the latter will pay money down, but price must be reasonable. No fancy terms will be considered. No hurry about possession. Address "Judge" Times office. All communications strictly confidential. my26-tf

WANTED—A tinsmith with capital as partner in a well established stove business. Apply A. O., Times office. ap21tf

TO LET.

TO RENT.—Rooms to rent, pleasantly situated on Beacon Hill, 20 minutes from Post Office. Board if required. Address L H, the Times Office. m31-1w.

SEVERAL HANDSOMELY FURNISHED rooms—To let with use of kitchen, bathroom, etc. At Miss McCandlish's private hotel 63 Superior street. may30-tf

TO LET—The property known as the Rock Bay Tannery, also the Bay Tannery at Rock Bay. The plant is complete in each place, and will be leased for short or long term. Inquire of Richardson, Heathorn & Jones 42 Yates St. m12-1m

TO LET—Several large rooms. Apply 103 Government street. ap24-tf

TO LET.—After July 1st, the handsome residence Maplehurst, 153 Blanchard street, unfurnished. Apply C. W. Rhodes. ap18-tf

FURNITURE—New four roomed house to let with furniture for sale. Furniture in use only four months. Ira Fenton, No. 2 Churchway. j16

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Victoria District, 400 acres capital land cultivated, good water, close on projected tram car line: $100 per acre, a bargain. Apply A. Toller, 18 Broad street. m29

FOR SALE—The land known as Stromness Farm, containing 200 acres, more or less. Also large dwelling house and farm buildings. This property is about 30 minutes drive from the city, has a frontage to the waters of the Victoria Arm; and is most desirable as a situation for a gentleman's residence. For further particulars apply to Miss Peers, Stromness, Victoria, B. C. my27-1m

FOR SALE—Clinker built boat 18 feet keel. Built in China of hard wood and copper fastened. Apply to Dan McIntosh, James Bay Bridge. my26-2w

FOR SALE—5 acres all under cultivation, on water main, $1000, ½ cash. Crane, McGregor & Boggs. may22

FOR SALE—House and 11 lots, water front, Victoria West, $3000. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. may22

FOR SALE—2 lots corner South Turner and Niagara streets, $1800. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. may22

FOR SALE—Water front corner on inner harbor, $4000. Crane, McGregor and Boggs.

FOR SALE—Corner lot fronting on Beacon Hill Park, $1500. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. may22

FOR SALE—Lot Leighston road, $250. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. may22

FOR SALE—Farming land at Alberni from $5.00 per acre. Crane McGregor & Boggs.

FOR SALE—10 acres under cultivation, Gordon Head Road, $3000. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. my22

FOR SALE—A double lot 60x240 feet fronting on Dallas Road. This is the most desirable residential lot on the market; perfectly situated and is offered at reasonable terms and $200 below the market price, $1950. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. my22

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BOARD.

BOARD—The Leland House, corner of Douglas street and Queen's avenue. Well furnished rooms for families or single boarders at reasonable rates. J. MacCartney, proprietor. my5-1m

LOST OR FOUND.

FOUND—At the Driving Park an umbrella. the owner can have it by paying for this advertisement and proving property. Wm. Ralph, Spring Ridge. my29-3t

LOST—On Thursday morning a gentleman's scarf pin, pearls, in the neighborhood of the Drard. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at this office. my29-1w

$50.00 REWARD—I will give $50.00 reward for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who last Saturday night stole my roans. Mrs. E. A. Woods, Fort street. my29-2w

SCAVENGERS.

PETER HANSEN
CITY SCAVENGER.
Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders and prices reasonable.
Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Ferguson's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets.
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JOHN DOHERTY
GENERAL SCAVENGER.
Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; E. C. Kelloggs, corner Yates and Douglas streets, or George Doughty, corner Fort and Blanchard streets, will be promptly attended to. may22-1y

SOCIETIES.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
1y5 R. A. BROWN, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No. 720, G.R.S. Regular convocations held on the 2nd Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall, Masonic Temple, Douglas street, Sojourning companions cordially invited.
W. J. QUINLAN, Scribe E.

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THOMAS DEVLIN, JAMES AULD, N.G. Secretary.

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R. J. PLUMMER, K. of R. & S.

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J. M. MURDOCH, Secretary.

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INSURE—in the Sun, Life and Accident. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. my22

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PHYSICIANS.

HOMŒPATHIC REMOVAL.
DR. J. HALL
Will leave his rooms on Pandora street on Monday, December 2nd, for the new brick block corner of Yates and Douglas streets, where he may be consulted at the usual hours, from 1 to 4 p.m., excepting Sundays and holidays. nov27

J. K. GARROW, M. D.
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DR. HARTMAN,
DENTIST, 61 GOVERNMENT ST.
Great improvement in artificial teeth. In order of introducing my improved sets of teeth, I will make a reduction of one third of cost for thirty days only beginning June 1st. They must be seen to be appreciated, as to looks and quality they cannot be excelled. They will not drop while eating or speaking. Inspect sample set and see testimonials from those wearing them. Remember you will not have this chance again after June 30th.
None but skillful operations performed.

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ARCHITECT
and Mechanical Engineer. Drawings for Patent Office. Office, Moody's Block, 76 Yates street, Victoria, B. C. m28tf

JNO. TEAGUE,
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Has removed to new offices corner of Broad street and Trounce avenue. fe26tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

R. B. McMICKING,
16 TROUNCE AVENUE.
Supplies electric house bells, and annunciators in any quantity and style. No residence or hotel complete without them. my30-1m

REMOVED—White Labor Employment Office to 93 Yates street, where all kinds of help can be obtained at short notice. Also, Fruits, Candies, Cigars, etc.
m3-1m BINGHAM & REYNARD.

Use Pendray's Crescent stove polish for a "black shine." It simply beats all. Ask your grocer for it.

Baby Carriages.

A fine line of baby carriages and wagons, at Shore & Anderson's, 107 Douglas street.

There is no such stove polish as the "Nonesuch." Only 20 cents per bottle. Ask your grocer for it, or at Geo. Phillips', No. 152 Government street. *

Large stock of Summer Hats, &c., of every description. Stevens & Jenkins, Douglas street. 2w

The ladies of Victoria will find it to their interest to examine my stock of white linen before purchasing elsewhere. Stamping done. Mrs. Hendry, 37 View street. *

The newest and most fashionable stock of millinery, jackets, mantles, jerseys, etc., etc., Stevens & Jenkins, 111 Douglas street. Good dressmakers wanted. *

Take your spring suits to John T. Pierre to be cleaned and repaired. He makes it a specialty. 96 Yates St. *

Contracts made for supplying families with ice at reasonable rates by the British Columbia Ice Co. Telephone call 81, office 22 Yates street. 7-5 1m.

AMERICAN DISPATCHES.

U. S. WILL ASSERT AUTHORITY IN BEHRING SEA.

Fatal Railway Accident in California—A Telegraphic Gold Mine—How a Company Was Robbed—A Modern Dick Tirpin—Incidents of Boarder Life.

OAKLAND, Cal., May 31.—The first report heard this morning was that three more bodies had been recovered from the estuary, but the morgue officials promptly announced that there was no truth in the story. Mingled with the comments to-day there is a good deal of criticism of the company. It is said that it should maintain a better warning signal than a simple red flag, and that a similar accident nearly happened a while ago, because the wind blew the flag in such a direction that the engineer could only see the stick and not the flag. The engineer and firemen have not yet been found, but there seems to be some reason to believe that the charge that the engineer was drunk is true.

Many railroad men contradict the statement that engineer Dunn was a drinking man. He had been engineer for years and was considered an experienced employee. The theory which seems to be generally held by railroad men is that Dunn saw the bridge was open and was aware of the danger but calculated that the draw would be closed by the time he got there. It seems that the engineers have been in the habit of doing this, only that they calculated their speed and distance better than Dunn did.

Not Hurt.

BOLDEN CREEK, Cal., May 31.—Sam Dunn, engineer of the train wrecked at Oakland yesterday, lives here with his family. It is reported that he was not hurt. He is said to be in San Francisco.

Floods in California.

STOCKTON, Cal., May 31.—A break occurred at midnight last night in the levee protecting the middle division of the Union Island, and the workmen gave up the fight. By eight this morning the break was 250 feet wide. 8000 acres of grain owned by Williams and Bixters will be flooded. Williams' home ranch of 3000 acres will go next as the levee is weak. Roberts Island levee is expected to go any moment. The total loss thus far, including labor in fighting the waves, is about $400,000.

A Mad Stone Used.

TUSCOLA, Ill., May 31.—Seven school children were bitten yesterday by a mad dog at St. Joseph, thirty miles north of here, the dog dying a few minutes later in convulsions. The parents of the children became greatly alarmed and telegraphed D. C. Hostetter, of this place, to bring a mad-stone in his possession to them. After his arrival the stone was applied to each of the wounds in succession and it adhered in each case.

Fell Down Stairs.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—Mrs. Mary Vale, a feeble lady of forty years of age in a fit yesterday strayed from her sick room, and falling down a flight of stairs was instantly killed. The officers picked up the body, and had it conveyed to the morgue. The deceased had long been a sufferer from neuralgia of the head and heart.

Attempted to Cut Him.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—Jas. Hynes, a shoemaker, attempted to kill John Donahue in the latter's butcher shop last night. Hynes cut through Donahue's coat, vest and underclothing with a shoe knife.

A Stranger in a Strange Land.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—An unknown man was brought to the hospital last night. He died later in the night. The only clue to his identity were some letters found on his person, addressed to Michael Morse.

Death on the Rail.

NEW YORK, May 31.—A special to the Sun from Marion, Ind., says: Mr. O. J. Stone and two children, and Mrs. Wimmen were killed at 1 p. m. to-day by a Chicago, St. Louis and Pittsburg express train, half a mile east of the city. The train was late and was running 55 miles an hour. The women were in a buggy, which was caught on the engine and was carried a quarter of a mile. Mr. Stone was wedged between the pilot and the buggy and his neck was broken. The children, a girl of seven and a boy of four years, and Mrs. Wimmen were instantly killed. The accounts go to show their horse was running away.

A Modern Dick Turpin.

NEW YORK, May 30.—A special to the Sun from Austin, Texas, says: A sheriff's posse and a gang of horse thieves had a terrible encounter 23 miles above Austin late on Thursday afternoon, in which one of the thieves George Mathison, was killed, and his brother Frank captured. George is the fellow who six years ago, in this city, held up and robbed Dr. R. M. Swearinger, Rev. O. K. Smooth, Dr. Stoddard and several others of their gold watches and what money they had. As he took the watches he examined them carefully, and when he came up with Dr. Smooth noticed that his watch was engraved. "You are a preacher," he said, "here is your watch; I don't rob preachers," and he handed the watch back. Three days after he was captured about 20 miles from Austin while asleep, and was tried, convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary for thirty years. Four weeks ago upon the petition of the county officers, prison officials and the gentlemen whom he had robbed, the Governor pardoned him.

A Telegraphic Gold Mine.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., May 29.—H. D. Manix, of Sioux Falls, and Harris Blood, of Aberdeen, were to-day indicted for robbing the Western Union Telegraph Company. Their operations extended over nine years and the amount stolen is reported to reach $50,000. Manix and Blood are charged with being the leaders of a gang of employes. The others are located at Pierre, Mitchell, Redfield, Millbank and many smaller towns. The Western Union Company has changed its managers in ten cities. The gang's mode of proceedure was to forward messages between those offices without checks and then destroy them, pocketing the tolls. More arrests are expected.

His Father's Son.

PEORIA, May 29.—A sensation has been created here by the arrest of John Spellman, oldest son of Edward Spellman, the Irish-American who became quite widely known during the Cronin trial, at which he was a witness. During the the past two months a series of burglaries have been committed in the city and the police have been absolutely unable to obtain a clue to the perpetrators. Nothing but money was taken in each case. Last night a policeman discovered a man working on a safe in a large wholesale warehouse and succeeded in effecting his arrest. It was young Spellman. He has confessed that he was the perpetrator of all the recent burglaries.

A Professor of Love.

CLEVELAND, May 29.—James Clinton Waite, principal of the school at Geneva, who engaged himself to several of his young lady pupils, obtained licenses to marry two of them, and was united clandestinely to one of them on April 29th, whom he deserted next morning, was captured at Chippewa Lake and taken to Geneva yesterday. Detectives have been on his track for two weeks, and learned that he has married no less than six women within three years.

Adjudged Insane.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—The man that was caught on Thursday, after snatching a stack of gold from the Hibernian Bank collector, was adjudged insane yesterday. He had to be strapped down to a cot in the hospital. The cause was starvation and excitement.

Stabbed to the Heart.

CINCINNATI, May 31.—Fred. Miller was found dead in his yard with a knife wound in his heart. His wife and John Pierce have been in company considerably of late.

It was a Fakir.

CHICAGO, May 31.—One of the private watchmen on duty in Haymarket square has confessed to Police Captain Hayes that early on last Saturday morning he saw a fuse burning at the base of the Haymarket monument, and being unable to blow it out, picked out the fire with his knife. He saw no can of dynamite there at the time. Being a reliable man, Capt. Hayes and Chief Marsh believe what he says. His name is withheld. It is now thought the whole thing is a fake, and that the can of dynamite was placed at the foot of the monument after the watchman left, and was not near the fuse. A dynamite expert said to-night that the fuse was sold at any of the powder houses, and can be put out by rain, and that the fuse soaked in water for a month will burn readily. Chief Marsh is now convinced that there was no attempt to blow up the monument, but the scare was intended by some unknown person. Kaiser, New York anarchist is still in custody.

Nominated for Governor.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., May 31.—Shortly before noon to-day Jones of Montgomery, was nominated for governor on the 84th ballot. All Anti-Kolb men united on him.

Crushed to Death.

LAPEER, Mich., May 31.—Two brothers named Raymond living at Attica, were found dead beside the Chicago & Grand Trunk track at that place this morning. Both were terribly mutilated. It is supposed they got on the train at Imlay City last night which did not stop at Attica and jumped off there.

MORE OF THE SMUGGLERS.

The Kidnapped Chinaman Will be Returned All Right—Mutual Workers.

PORTLAND, May 29.—Several members of the gang of smugglers who kidnapped Dr. Lee Him, came over from Seattle to-day and fixed matters with the firm, and the reward offered for the recovery of Lee Him has been withdrawn. It is known that he is in Seattle all right, and will be home in a day or two. The opium seized was left at the place designated by several Chinese firms who had purchased it, and the smugglers claim that they were not responsible for the loss and insisted on being paid for it. They tried to frighten Lee Him into paying, and when he would not carry him off, he making no resistance as has been learned. Relations are so friendly between the Chinese and smugglers, and so mutually profitable that their differences were easily patched up and there is not likely to be any prosecution for kidnapping. Both parties will unite in getting Mayes cleared.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is the more popular it becomes.

Microbe Killers on sale at Daley's 111 Government street. *

Merchants Luncheon.

From 11:30 until 2 o'clock and Lorenzo at the Bank Exchange. *

You should secure a lot in Fernwood. Beautiful, residential property. Enquire of the leading estate agents. *

Baby carriages of latest styles just received by John Weiler, 51 to 55 Fort street. *

A lot of heavy hotel cooking utensils at McLennan & McFeely's, 79 Yates street. *

We have without exception the finest line of men's suits in the province in fancy tweed and all wool worsteds Gilmore & McCandless.

HOME AND FOREIGN.

AN EXPEDITION CAPTURED BY AFRICAN SAVAGES.

Many of the Party Killed, Others Turned Naked Into the Wilderness—Deputy Minister Burgess to Visit B. C.—More Survey Parties to be Sent Out.

OTTAWA, May 31.—Prof. Wiggins says Italy may be shaken to the very centre by an earthquake this present summer. The earthquake in America three days ago was caused by the force that shook up the Queen Charlotte Islands. The planets were nearly in the same position in A.D. 79, when Pompeii was overwhelmed.

Captured by Natives.

LONDON, May 31.—Advices from San Filpe de Bergula, on the west coast of Africa 300 miles south of St. Paul De Loando, report that the expedition sent out from there into the interior, got no further than Bipe on the frontier of the province of Benguela. The entire caravan was stopped and surrounded by natives and finally surrendered. The men were stripped to the skin and most of them driven forth into the wilderness where several perished by famine. Some of the prisoners were held and are now kept in chains. The survivors report that fourteen members of the expedition were killed by the natives. An expeditionary column will be dispatched to the scene of the outrage.

Stanley Banqueted.

LONDON, May 30.—The banquet given in honor of Henry M. Stanley at the American Legation, this evening, was one of the most notable of the many complimentary entertainments of which the explorer has been made the recipient since his return to England. Nearly 400 guests were present, including the entire American legation and consulate. Among the more prominent of the guests were Mr. James Whistler, Max O'Rell, Paul Du Chaillies, and five members of the New York and London banking family of Seligman. The remainder of those present comprised the leading American residents and sojourners in London. The special guest of the occasion was more prompt in arriving than has been his custom at previous gatherings in his honor, and appeared less reticent and exclusive than usual. In his speech in reply to the toast of the guest of the evening, Stanley disappointed many by making no mention whatever of the question of his citizenship, since everybody has evinced curiosity to know whether he will feel himself at liberty to accept any title or other mark of distinction which it may please the Queen to bestow upon him. Stanley is now an American citizen, though he has been a subject of the Queen, and no one is as yet informed as to whether he is at liberty to avail himself of Her Majesty's gracious intention toward him, or indeed whether or not he still regards himself as an American. Stanley's remarks as well as manner were not particularly impressive until he proceeded to refer to the recent reply of Lord Salisbury to his assertions that the Government was throwing away her chances in Africa through apathy, while Germany was improving hers. In refuting the allusions of the premier to himself, Stanley became animated in manner and forcible in speech. As a souvenir of the occasion each guest was presented with an album containing photographs and autographs of the explorer and the staff which accompanied him on his journey across the dark continent.

FROM OTTAWA.

Deputy Minister of the Interior Coming to B. C.—The Province to be Surveyed.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 31.—Mr. Burgess, Deputy Minister of the Interior, intends making another trip to British Columbia this season.

Mr. Dewdney, Minister of the Interior, says that arrangements are about completed for sending surveying parties into the field. The only party so far out is operating at Revelstoke surveying the townsite there.

Why King Theebaw Fell.

It is seldom that the trivial causes which lead to the overthrow of thrones receive so clear an illustration as the following statement by ex-King Theebaw, of Burmah:—"My late father, the royal Mindoon Min, the golden-footed lord of the white elephant, master of a thousand gold umbrellas, owner of the royal peacocks, lord of the sea and the world, whose face was like the sun, always smoked the Esoof cheroot while meditating on his treatment of the bull-faced, earth-swallowing English. Had I done the same I should never have lost my throne, but I used the opium-drugged cheroot from Manila, and the trash solace was sent me from San Francisco, and I fell."—N. Y. World.

The Idea of March.

"Last March mother caught a severe cold, terminating in a very bad cough. Everything we could hear of was tried without avail. Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam was at last recommended and procured. The first dose relieved, and one bottle entirely cured her." Miss E. A. STARNAMAN, Hespeler, Ont. *

Canadian Political Morality.

Says Grip: "The political morality of Canada is evidently improving. The enforced resignation of Rykert when the charge of swindling was brought home to him by a committee comprising a majority of his own political friends, and the severe censure passed by Parliament on General Middleton, indicate a greatly increased sensitiveness on the part of our politicians to public opinion. A few years ago both Rykert and Middleton would have been whitewashed as a matter of course. The only ground which either of these persons can fairly have for taking exception to the treatment meted out to them is that equally flagrant delinquencies have been condoned in the past. But reform must begin with somebody. The healthy change of public sentiment which has made it possible for men in public life to denounce rascalities committed by their own party friends without being considered traitors to the cause is mainly due to the growth of the independent press." How about the re-election of Rykert? What about the political morality of the Lincolnites?

SPORTING NOTES.

Brief Resume of Sporting Matters Here and Elsewhere.

KILRAIN TALKS.

BALTIMORE, May 31.—Jake Kilrain is here. He says: "I feel strong and am open for a match if the purse suits. Muldoon wrote on the 20th that he would try and arrange for meeting with Ed. Smith, who is about my build. Smith beat Cleary and is very clever. I have not heard anything from Muldoon since. I was to meet McAuliffe but I learn he has arranged with Sullivan. I intend to get in good form. I have a notion to try rowing this summer. I had a boat at Triel club house two years ago and if nobody has taken it away I will make use of it. As to a fight, I would give most anything to have another chance at Corbett. He has a pretty long reach."

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Robert Grant, of Vancouver, is in the city.

Hon. Amor De Cosmos has gone to New York.

D. R. Ker returned from the Sound last evening.

J. Will Lyons, of the Port Townsend Leader, is in the city.

A. St. G. Hammersley, city barrister, Vancouver, is in town.

O. H. Goodwin has gone to New Westminster for a few days.

John W. Kennedy, of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, is in the city.

Sergt. Langley, of the Provincial Police, is up at Nanaimo on a visit.

Messrs. Ewen, English and Munn, canners, were among last evening's arrivals.

Among the passengers by the Islander last night was Mrs. Thomas Boggs, who arrived from Halifax, Nova Scotia, on a visit to her son, Beaumont Boggs, of the firm of Crane, McGregor & Boggs.

BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

One of the workmen on the site of the new hotel had his leg broken last evening by the fall of a rock.

The steamer Maude, which is due from Tacoma this evening, has on board two carloads of iron pipe and six carloads of flour.

Three sisters of the Order of Our Lady of Charity have arrived at New Westminster and will at once set to work to organize a home for orphans.

The annual meeting of the school trustees will be held in the city hall on Monday next at 11 a. m., and not on Monday evening, as announced by the morning paper.

Mr. J. Jones, whose property is situated between Burnside and Saanich roads, sold 87 acres of his farm a few days ago for $100 an acre. Mr. Jones bought it two years ago for $55 per acre.

The Gorge Road Methodist Church Sunday School will hold its annual picnic on July 1st at Podder Bay. An excursion steamer will be run to the picnic grounds. Further particulars will be given later on.

The Government are again at work on "that court house." This time they are altering one of the court rooms. When they have finished altering that building perhaps they will be able to make something of it.

Fight With a Bear.

Mr. Stewart, a rancher, residing in the District of Comox, had occasion to hunt one of his pigs, which had rambled into the bush about two days ago, and getting close to the hog, he was surprised to see a large black bear, endeavoring his utmost to kill it. The bear on seeing the bold rancher, immediately made for him, but was met by the sudden blow of an axe, whirled by the sturdy man of muscle, who luckily, had not left his home without the weapon. Bruin was almost stunned by the first blow, but quickly recovering himself, he renewed the attack, only to to be met by a brain cracking blow again from the terrific force of the axe, in the hands of a man who knew he must either kill or be killed. The second blow was sufficient for bruin, who bleeding freely freely from the wound in the head, turned tail, but before he could get far, the rancher was again upon him, and with one terrific blow from the keen edge of the axe, he laid the head of the bear in twain, killing him instantly. Mr. Stewart is to be complimented on his victory over this animal, which is said to have been the terror of the district for quite a while, as he could never be caught.—Free Press.

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SINGLE TAX ADVOCATED.

THE WORKINGMEN'S MEETING ON FRIDAY NIGHT.

The Question of Single Tax Presented by Workingmen—Speeches by Messrs. Reid, Jackson, West and Others—The Candidates Have Something to Say.

The public meeting called at the Victoria theatre last night, was attended by hundreds of thinking men of the province, the theatre being well filled. Promptly at 8 o'clock the meeting was called to order, Mr. J. L. Reid being elected chairman. On the platform were Messrs. Robt. Beaven, F. G. Richards, Chas. Wilson, Mayor Grant, Capt. John Irving, A. Dods, J. Cohen, B. H. West, W. Trickey, A. Strachan, Robt. Foster, Bragg, Geo. R. Jackson and others.

The chairman in opening the meeting explained the object of the gathering, which was to discuss the best methods of dealing with the public questions of the day. The prime question was the work of the past and future governments. The raising of a revenue was the policy of the Government; it was the beginning and the end of the system. It might be advantageous to look as to how past governments had raised it. A large share of their revenues had been raised by the sale of public lands, although some had come from taxes, etc. The plan of raising revenue had been copied from the older countries. It would be advisable to see how the older governments had done. The result had evidently not been of the best, as it was a continual struggle with the older governments to maintain their position. Readers of the daily papers know that labor uprisings are threatened at all times in European countries. What was the reason for this? The single tax men claim that private ownership of lands is the prime cause of this state of affairs. Before the actual tillers of the soil could reap the result of their labors; they had to pay such great taxes that the profits were swallowed up. The present owners of land had it handed down to them from generations past and the holders collected the rent, producing nothing, were mere idlers who took seven tenths of the yield of the land, while the people who worked got but a bare living. In the case of the Scottish crofters the holder of small farms had been driven from their homes by the order of some lord or duke, and told to go and beg. This was not right. Turning to Ireland the speaker felt that gross injustice had been done to her sons. Sons who had been hanged even for daring to defend their rights. This was a burning shame, and the rights of the soil tillers had been trodden under foot all in the interests of the great and titled land holders. The tillers of the soil were in those countries slaves, and the same sad state of things might obtain here. It had not at present as the population was still small, but if the old systems were to be followed, the result would be the same. It behoved the working classes then to strive to perfect a system whereby such a state of things would be impossible. The Henry George theory was the only sensible theory which had been offered. It had been said that if personal ownership of land was not allowed no improvements would be made, but this could be contradicted by turning to large blocks in this city built by parties who did not own the land obsolutely. The same system could be equally applied to farming lands, as the law, the will of the people, would guarantee that his improvements would be protected. A small sum would be paid for the privilege of tilling the soil or of utilizing land for improvements in any way, and this sum would be paid into the public purse and not into the hands of a private landlord, who producing nothing, still lived on the best. This giving away of the public lands was one of the greatest evils to be combatted, and the giving away of lands to the railways asking should be forbidden by the voice of the people. The railways did not build up the country by any means. Were a railway built where there were no inhabitants, railways would be of no use. It was the people that gave the value to the lands and they, the people, should be the ones to benefit by the sale of lands. What gave the value to city lands was because there were more people in the cities. Therefore it was patent that it was the people who made the values of the land and they should reap the benefit. The old countries were on the eve of riot and revolution by reason of the old systems. They had been tried and found wanting, and the educated people were now demanding that something be done to change the threatening state of affairs. The chairman ended his remarks amid applause, and introduced Mr. Jackson, who read the following resolution:

Mr. Jackson thought it was nothing but fair that the audience should be informed that all single tax men were cranks, but from what would be said at this meeting no one would be able to judge that they were anything better or worse than men of common sense. The necessity of a government, he said, being granted, the necessity of revenue inevitably follows. He moved the following resolution:

That in the opinion of this meeting the time has arrived when there should be some practical effort made to reform or change our present method of taxation.

At the present time if a man erects a house, plants an orchard, or in any way adds wealth to the community, we fine him by laying a tax on his improvements.

Such a method of taxation discourages improvement, checks production, and encourages speculation in land.

What we need is a method of taxation that will encourage the production and equitable distribution of wealth.

Therefore, be it resolved—That we, a portion of the electors of the city of Victoria, in mass meeting assembled, demand from those who seek our support that they pledge themselves to use their influence in securing legislation based on the principles of the single tax, as set forth in the works of Henry George.

The manner of collecting this revenue so that it may fall equally upon all, is one of the most intricate as well as one of the most simple problems of political economy. All wealth is produced by labor applied to land. There being no other source of wealth it follows that all taxes on whatever imposed must be paid out of the product of land and labor. Now, as all taxes are paid out of land and labor, it may seem to make no difference on what the tax is levied, but the manner in which equal amounts of taxes are imposed may very materially affect the production of wealth. A tax upon labor as it is exerted lessens the incentive to produce. So a tax upon capital, as invested lessens the incentive to invest more than a tax upon all capital, whether it is invested or not. To relieve labor, land and capital from taxes, as they are used productively, would be an incentive to their use. A tax should not hamper production, but it is one of the curses of our tax system that it hampers production, discourages industry, fines the improver and encourages fraud in almost every conceivable form. In some places, if you have $10,000 in the bank, you are free from taxes. Lying in bank it does no good. Suppose you draw it out and with it erect a house or invest in any productive enterprise, a government comes and taxes you as if you had become a nuisance. Have you not given employment to labor, beautified a portion of and benefitted the whole community? Would it not therefore be more reasonable that the community should bonus rather than fine you for your industry? We want stores and factories, in fact we want everything which goes to make up material progress, yet no sooner has this been done than the tax gatherer comes along and takes a portion of it to add to the public plunder. Tax saloons and dogs and there will be fewer saloons and dogs, but these are the things we don't want. Tax wealth and there will be less wealth. But that is what we do want—more wealth. By possible for a tax to lessen the things we don't want, and not lessen the things we do want. What we most want in British Columbia, is, next to morality, wealth. If wealth be what we want is it not a species of imbecility to tax men for producing wealth? To all this exaction there could be no logical objection, did there not exist a fund in the value which attaches to land, exclusive of improvements, a value given to land by reason of the growth of the community and from which its revenue might easily be drawn. Out near the Work Estate is a tract of almost virgin soil of great value. The question is, has the individual owning it done anything which has created that value? Has it not become valuable through people coming in and the city growing up around it? Every new street opened increases the value of lots in its vicinity, making them more accessable, and this value is given it by the expenditure of the city's wealth. Could any person who looks for justice or dreams of equity, ask anything more reasonable than that the city should at least reimburse itself for the values thus created? We talk of our great natural advantages, but there no benefit to the man who has nothing but his labor, for as our country develops in all we hope of her, men who have nothing but their labor will not only not be better off, but worse. What would be the cause of this state of affairs? The monopolization of our lands by people who will not use them, and as people, who must use them come in, they will have to give up to the owner all their labor produces, save what would be small wages, for the privilege of going to work. Down by the old French hotel is a lot, an eyesore, and a nuisance to the community. Now if this lot were worth $10,000 as it stands, we would put a tax of whatever was the current rate of interest upon its full value of $10,000. If the owner chose to erect a building on it, no matter what its value, his tax would not be increased by five cents. By doing this we would discourage the holding of lands out of use. By doing this we would open up natural opportunities to labor and capital, and we would no longer be confronted with the spectacle of men wanting to work on the one hand, and idle lands and idle capital on the other. We would bring natural opportunities and labor and capital together, and the labor problem would be solved. (Applause).

Mr. Byron H. West being called on addressed the meeting in his usual brilliant style. He stated that the meeting had been called to consider vital questions, and one of the most vital was the consideration of the single tax. It was a particularly fitting time to discuss such a question as the country was on the eve of a general election, and the views of the candidates should be obtained and the views of the electors stated. He would show that taxing a thing would cause it to be little used. If a tax of $50 was was placed on dogs' tails there would be very few dogs in Victoria in a short time. But still we see a factory started at an expense of $75,000, taxed to two-thirds its value, or $50,000, and thus we see an industry which was doing good fined for giving employment to and helping out the people. The question of single tax dealt with this, and by it all other taxes would be wiped out, and the single tax should be considered by the people who were now on the eve of a political campaign. The people should demand their rights, and should see that an aspirant for political honors was elected who would go the farthest toward the single tax system irrespective of party or politics. They were not present to say bad things of the land owners, but the land question should be discussed on its merits. First the land was the prime source of all supply, and should be free to those who would till it. As it now stood the holder of the land could state his price, and the would-be tiller of the soil had to pay the price or starve. Such a state of things was cruel and inhuman, and civilization and education demanded a change. Settlers who came to the province found that all available lands were held by speculators who put such high figures on it that it was practically closed to settlers. The laborer had not in the past received his just reward because of the unequal division of the lands of the earth, so that a few lived in idleness and luxury while others starved and slaved. Allow such a monopolization to obtain in British Columbia and in a few years we would see laboring men struggling for life and women selling themselves for bread. These were questions which should be thought of, and a halt

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"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

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A CERTIFICATE of INDEFEASIBLE TITLE to the above lands will be issued to George Thomas on the 16th day of July, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lands or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 19th April, 1890. ap19-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 93 A—The City of Victoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall register the above lot in the name of Robert Purvis McLennan and Edward John McFeely as owners, in fee, as tenants in common, in pursuance of an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, made on the 29th day of March 1890, by the Hon. Mr. Justice Drake, unless cause to shown to the contrary in writing within three months from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 2nd April, 1890. apr2-3m

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Part of Section 20 Range VIII., Quamichan District.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE TITLE to a portion of the above mentioned section will be issued to Henry Fry, junior, on the 19th day of July, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in such portion of said section or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 15th April 1890. ap16-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 38, 40, 41, 47, 207, 1100 the N. ½ of Lot 25, the easterly ½ of Lot 74, and parts of Lots 277 and 278 in the City of Victoria.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above mentioned lands will be issued to Walter Scott Chambers on the 9th day of August, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lands, or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 7th May, 1890. my12-3m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Section 15, Township 5, Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, containing 640 acres.

THOMAS MATHEWS,
BYRON HOLMES WEST,
THOMAS McFARLANE GRAHAM,
JAMES PUSEY.

May 15th 1890. my19-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT sixty days after date, I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tract of land, commencing at a stake on shore line, about two and a half miles, east south east, of Bonilla point, running north 16 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence following shore line to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

JOSIAH JAQUES.

Victoria, May 19th 1890. my19-2m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT THIRTY days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a highway 20ft. wide from Bridge Crossing Creek near my house to join Mission trail about three miles north and running through the south east corners of lots 392, 162 and 263, this route to be the public trail in lieu of the old one abandoned for some years.

THOMAS ELLIS.

Penticton, May 14, 1890. my14-1m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 320 acres of land near Mission Valley Bonaparte division of Yale district, commencing at post, being south west corner of Wheland's purchase claim, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains thence west 40 chains thence north 80 chains to the place of commencement. ROBERT MUNSON.

May 19th 1890. my20

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 days after date I intend applying to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut, fell and carry away timber of a tract of land situated in Coast District, on Vancouver Island and described as follows: Commencing at a stake planted on the east bank of Adams's nearly the north west corner post of Indian reserve; thence east 80 chains, following back line of Indian reserve; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement. JAMES FELL.

Dated this 13th day of April, 1890. ap21-td

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT thirty days after date, we, the undersigned intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease for timbering purposes, of the following tract of land in the West Kootenay District. Commencing at a post on the left bank of Fort Shepherd Creek about three miles from its mouth, on the western boundary of the meadow land reserved on behalf of the Kootenay Valley Company in the lower Kootenay Valley; thence due west 20 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 3 miles; thence south 2 miles; thence east 3 miles; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the western boundary of the reserved land; thence following south western boundary to the initial point containing 7040 acres, more or less.

JOSHUA DAVIES.
W. F. SAYWARD.

Nelson, B. C., May 13, 1890. per C. W. R. my22-1m

NOTICE.

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D. R. CAMPBELL,
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THE HANGING OF HAMAN

SERMON PREACHED BY REV. T. DE WITT TALMAGE, D. D., MAY 25.

A Powerful Discourse Presented in Full. Queen Esther's Knowledge of a Hideous Plot Revealed to the King—Mordecai's Day of Triumph.

BROOKLYN, May 25.—In the Brooklyn Academy of Music this morning, after the preliminary exercises which in this congregation are considered as important as any of the others, Dr. Talmage preached from the text, "So they hanged Haman on the gallows that he had prepared for Mordecai."—Esther vii. 10. Following is his sermon in full:

Here is an oriental courtier, about the most offensive man in Hebrew history, Haman by name. He plotted for the destruction of the Israelitish nation, and I wonder not that in some of the Hebrew synagogues to this day, when Haman's name is mentioned, the congregation clinch their fists, and stamp their feet and cry: "Let his name be blotted out!" Haman was prime minister in the magnificent court of Persia. Thoroughly appreciative of the honor conferred he expects everybody that he passes to be obsequious. Coming in one day at the gate of the palace the servants drop their heads in honor of his office; but a Hebrew, named Mordecai, gazes upon the passing dignitary without bending his head or taking off his hat. He was a good man, and would not have been negligent of the ordinary courtesies of life, but he felt no respect either for Haman or the nation from which he had come. But he could not be hypocritical; and while others made oriental salaam, getting clear down before this prime minister when he passed, Mordecai, the Hebrew, relaxed not a muscle of his neck, and kept his chin clear up. Because of that affront Haman gets a decree from Ahasuerus, the dastardly king, for the massacre of all the Israelites, and that, of course, will include Mordecai.

THE PLOT REVEALED.

To make a long story short, through Queen Esther this whole plot was revealed to her husband, Ahasuerus. One night Ahasuerus, who was afflicted with insomnia, in his sleepless hours calls for his secretary to read to him a few passages of Persian history, and so while away the night. In the book read that night to the king an account was given of a conspiracy, from which Mordecai, the Hebrew, had saved the king's life, and for which kindness Mordecai had never received any reward. Haman, who had been fixing up a nice gallows to hang Mordecai on, was walking outside the door of the king's sleeping apartment and was called in. The king told him that he had just had read to him the account of some one who had saved his, the king's life, and he asked what reward ought to be given to such a one. Self conceited Haman, supposing that he himself was to get the honor, and not imagining for a moment that the deliverer of the king's life was Mordecai, says: "Why, your majesty ought to make a triumph for him, and put a crown on him, and set him on a splendid horse, high stepping and full blooded, and then have one of your princes lead the horse through the streets, crying: 'Bow the knee, here comes a man who has saved the king's life!'" Then said Ahasuerus in severe tones to Haman: "I know all about your scoundrelism. Now you go out and make a triumph for Mordecai, the Hebrew, whom you hate. Put the best saddle on the finest horse, and you, the prince, hold the stirrup while Mordecai gets on, and then lead his horse through the street. Make haste!"

A COMEDY AND A TRAGEDY.

What a spectacle! A comedy and tragedy at one and the same time. There they go! Mordecai, who had been despised, now starred and robed, in the stirrups. Haman, the chancellor, afoot, holding the prancing, rearing, champing stallion. Mordecai bends his neck at last, but it is to look down at the degraded prime minister walking beneath him. Huzza for Mordecai! Alas for Haman! But what a pity to have the gallows recently built entirely wasted! It is fifty cubics high, and built with care. And Haman had erected it for Mordecai, by whose stirrups he now walks as groom. Stranger and more startling than any romance, there go up the steps of the scaffolding, side by side, the hangman and Haman the ex-chancellor. "So they hanged Haman on the gallows that he had prepared for Mordecai."

Although so many years have passed since cowardly Ahasuerus reigned, and the beautiful Esther answered to his whims, and Persia perished, yet from the life and death of Haman we may draw living lessons of warning and instruction. And, first, we come to the practical suggestion that, when the heart is wrong, things very insignificant will destroy our comfort. Who would have thought that a great prime minister, admired and applauded by millions of Persians, would have been so nettled and harassed by anything trivial? What more could the great dignitary have wanted than his chariots and attendants, and palaces and banquets? If affluence of circumstances can make a man contented and happy, surely Haman should have been contented and happy. No; Mordecai's refusal of a bow takes the glitter from the gold, and the richness from the purple, and the speed from the chariots. With a heart puffed up with every inflation of vanity and revenge, it was impossible for him to be happy. The silence of Mordecai at the gate was louder than the braying of trumpets in the palace. Thus shall it always be if the heart is not right. Circumstances the most trivial will disturb the spirit.

SOME LIVING LESSONS.

It is not the great calamities of life that create the most worriment. I have seen men, felled by repeated blows of misfortune, arising from the dust, never desponding. But the most of the disquiet which men suffer is from insignificant causes, as a lion attacked by some beast of prey turns easily around and slays him, yet runs roaring through the forest at the alighting on his brawny neck of a few insects. You meet some great loss in business with comparative composure, but you can think of petty trickeries inflicted upon you which rouse all your capacity for wrath, and remain in your heart an unbearable annoyance. If you look back upon your life you will find that the most of the vexations and disturbances of spirit which you felt were produced by circumstances that were not worthy of notice. If you want to be happy you must not care for trifles. Do not be too minute in your inspection of the treatment you receive from others. Who cares whether Mordecai bows when you pass, or stands erect and stiff as a cedar? That woodman would not make much clearing in the forest who should stop to bind up every little bruise and scratch he received in the thicket; nor will that man accomplish much for the world or the church who is too watchful and appreciative of petty annoyances. There are multitudes of people in the world constantly harrowed because they pass their lives, not in searching out those things which are attractive and deserving, but in spying out with all their powers of vision to see whether they cannot find a Mordecai.

NEVER YIELD TO SIN.

Again: I learn from the life of the man under our notice that worldly vanity and sin are very anxious to have piety bow before them. Haman was a fair emblem of entire worldliness, and Mordecai the representative of unflinching godliness. Such were the usages of society in ancient times that, had this Israelite bowed to the prime minister, it would have been an acknowledgment of respect for his character and nation. Mordecai would, therefore, have sinned against his religion had he made any obeisance or dropped his chin half an inch before Haman. When, therefore, proud Haman attempted to compel an homage which was not felt, he only did what the world ever since has tried to do, when it would force our holy religion in any way to yield to its dictates. Daniel, if he had been a man of religious compromises, would never have been thrown into the den of lions. He might have made some arrangement with King Darius whereby he could have retained part of his form of religion without making himself so completely obnoxious to the idolaters. Paul might have retained the favor of his rulers and escaped martyrdom if he had only been willing to mix up his Christian faith with a few errors. His unbending Christian character was taken as an insult.

Fagot and rack and halter, in all ages have been only the different ways in which the world has demanded obeisance. It was once, away up on the top of the temple, that Satan commanded the Holy One of Nazareth to kneel before him. But it is not now so much on the top of churches as down in the aisle and the pew and the pulpit that Satan tempts the espousers of the Christian faith to kneel before him. Why was it that the Platonic philosophers of early times, as well as Toland, Spinoza and Bolingbroke of later days, were so easily opposed to Christianity? Certainly not because it favored immoralities, or arrested civilization, or dwarfed the intellect. The genuine reason, whether admitted or not, was because the religion of Christ paid no respect to their intellectual vanities. Blount and Boyle and the host of infidels hatched out by the vile reign of Charles II, as reptiles crawl out of a marsh of slime, could not keep their patience because, as they passed along, there were sitting in the gate of the church such men as Matthew and Mark, and Luke, and John, who would not bend an inch in respect to their philosophies.

SATAN'S WILES.

Satan told our first parents that they would become as gods if they would only reach up and take a taste of the fruit. They tried it and failed, but their descendants are not yet satisfied with the experiment. We have now many desiring to be as gods, reaching up after yet another apple. Human reason, scornful of God's word, may foam and strut with the proud wrath of a Haman, and attempt to compel the homage of the good, but in the presence of men and angels it shall be confounded. "God shall smite thee, thou whited wall." When science began to make its brilliant discoveries there were great facts brought to light that seemed to overthrow the truth of the Bible. The archæologist with his crowbar, and the geologist with his hammer, and the chemist with his batteries charged upon the Bible. Moses' account of the creation seemed denied by the very structure of the earth. The astronomer wheeled round his telescope until the heavenly bodies seemed to marshal themselves against the Bible, as the stars in their courses fought against Sisera. Observatories and universities rejoiced at what they considered the extinction of Christianity. They gathered new courage at what they considered past victory, and pressed on their conquest into the kingdom of nature, until, alas for them! they discovered too much. God's word had only been lying in ambush that, in some unguarded moment, with a sudden bound, it might tear infidelity to pieces.

It was when Joshua attacked the city of Ai. He selected thirty thousand men, and concealed most of them; then with a few men he assailed the city, which poured out its numbers and strength upon Joshua's little band. According to previous plan, they fell back in seeming defeat, but, after all the proud inhabitants of the city had been brought out of their homes, and had joined in the pursuit of Joshua, suddenly that brave man halted in his flight, and with his spear pointing toward the city, thirty thousand men bounded from the thickets as panthers spring to their prey, and the pursuers were dashed to pieces, while the hosts of Joshua pressed up to the city, and with their lighted torches tossed it into flame. Thus it was that the discoveries of science seemed to give temporary victory against God and the Bible, and for a while the church acted as if she were on a retreat; but, when all the opposers of God and truth had joined in the pursuit, and were sure of the field, Christ gave the signal to his church, and, turning, they drove back their foes in shame. There was found to be no antagonism between nature and revelation. The universe and the Bible were found to be the work of the same hand, two strokes of the same pen, their authorship the same God.

PRIDE GOES BEFORE A FALL.

Again: Learn the lesson that pride goes before a fall. Was any man ever so far up as Haman, who tumbled so far down? Yes, on a smaller scale every day the world sees the same thing. Against their very advantages men trip into destruction. When God humbles proud men, it is usually at the moment of their greatest arrogancy. If there be a man in your community greatly puffed up with worldly success, you have but to stand a little while and you will see him come down. You say, I wonder that God allows that man to go on riding over others' heads and making great assumptions of power. There is no wonder about it. Haman has not yet got to the top. Pride is a commander, well plumed and caparisoned, but it leads forth a dark and frowning host. We have the best of authority for saying that "Pride goeth before destruction, and a haughty spirit before a fall." The arrows from the Almighty's quiver are apt to strike a man when on the wing. Goliath shakes his great spear in defiance, but the small stones from the brook Elah make him stagger and fall like an ox under the butcher's bludgeon. He who is down cannot fall. Vessels scudding under bare poles do not feel the force of the storm, but those with all sails set capsize at the sudden descent of the tempest.

OUR SINS ON OUR HEADS.

Again: This oriental tale reminds us of the fact that wrongs we prepare for others return upon ourselves. The gallows that Haman built for Mordecai became the prime minister's strangulation. Robespierre, who sent so many to the guillotine, had his own head chopped off by that horrid instrument. The evil you practice on others will recoil upon your own pate. Slanders come home. Oppressions come home. Cruelties come home. You will yet be a jockey walking beside the very charger on which you expected to ride others down. When Charles I, who had destroyed Strafford, was about to be beheaded, he said, "I barely ratified an unjust sentence, and the similar injustice I am now to undergo is a sensible retribution for the punishment I inflicted on an innocent man." Lord Jeffries, after incarcerating many innocent and good people in London tower, was himself imprisoned in the same place, where the shades of those whom he had maltreated seemed to haunt him so that he kept crying to his attendants: "Keep them off, gentlemen! for God's sake, keep them off!" The chickens had come home to roost. The body of Bradshaw, the English judge, who had been ruthless and cruel in his decisions, was taken from his splendid tomb in Westminster Abbey, and at Tyburn hung on a gallows from morning until night in the presence of jeering multitudes. Haman's gallows came a little late, but they came. Opportunities fly in a straight line, and just touch us as they pass from eternity to eternity, but the wrongs we do others fly in a circle, and however the circle may widen out, they are sure to come back to the point from which they started. There are guns that kick!

THE REVERSES OF FORTUNE.

Furthermore, let the story of Haman teach us how quickly turns the wheel of fortune. One day, excepting the king, Haman was the mightiest man in Persia; but the next day, a lackey. So we go up, and so we come down. You seldom find any man twenty years in the same circumstances. Of those who, in political life twenty years ago, were the most prominent, how few remain in conspicuity. Political parties make certain men do their hard work, and then, after using them as hacks, turn them out on the commons to die. Every four years there is a complete revolution, and about five thousand men who ought certainly to be the next president are shamefully disappointed; while some, who this day are obscure and poverty stricken, will ride upon the shoulders of the people, and take their turn at admiration and the spoils of office. Oh, how quickly the wheel turns! Ballot boxes are the steps on which men come down as often as they go up. Of those who were long ago successful in the accumulation of property, how few have not met with reverses while many of those who then were straitened in circumstances now hold the bonds and the bank keys of the nation. Of all fickle things in the world, fortune is the most fickle. Every day she changes her mind, and woe to the man who puts any confidence in what she promises or proposes! She cheers when you go up, and she laughs when you come down. Oh, trust not a moment your heart's affections to this changeful world! Anchor your soul in God. From Christ's companionship gather your satisfaction. Then, come sorrow or gladness, success or defeat, riches or poverty, honor or disgrace, health or sickness, life or death, time or eternity, all are yours, and ye are Christ's, and Christ is God's.

RICHES DO NOT BRING HAPPINESS.

Again: this Haman's history shows us that outward possessions and circumstances cannot make a man happy. While yet fully vested in authority and the chief adviser of the Persian monarch, and everything that equipage and pomp and splendor of residence could do were his, he is an object lesson of wretchedness. There are today more aching sorrows under crowns of royalty than under the ragged caps of the houseless. Much of the world's affluence and gayety is only misery in colors. Many a woman seated in the street at her apple stand is happier than the great bankers. The mountains of worldly honor are covered with perpetual snow. Tamerlane conquered half the world, but could not subdue his own fears. Ahab goes to bed, sick, because Naboth will not sell him his vineyard. Herod is in agony because a little child is born down in Bethlehem. Great Felix trembles because a poor minister will preach righteousness, temperance and judgment to come. From the time of Louis XII to Louis XVIII was there a straw bottomed chair in France that did not set more solidly than the great throne on which the French kings reigned?

Were I called to sketch misery in its worst form, I would not go up the dark alley of the poor, but up the highway over which prancing Bucephali strike the sparks with their hoofs and between statuary and parks of stalking deer. Wretchedness is more bitter when swallowed from gemmed goblet than from earthen pitcher or pewter mug. If there are young people here who are looking for this position and that circumstance, thinking that worldly success will bring peace of the soul, let them shatter the delusion. It is not what we get, it is what we are. Daniel among the lions is happier that Nebuchadnezzar on his throne. And when life is closing, brilliancy of worldly surroundings will be no solace. Death is blind, and sees no difference between the king and his clown, between the Nazarene and the Athenian, between a bookless hut and a national library. The frivolities of life cannot, with their giddy laugh, echoing from heart to heart, entirely drown the voice of a tremendous conscience which says: "I am immortal. The stars shall die, but I am immortal. One wave of eternity shall drown time in its depths, but I am immortal. The earth shall have a shroud of flame and the heavens flee at the glance of the Lord, but I am immortal. From all the heights and depths of my nature rings down, and rings up, and rings out the word 'immortal!'" A good conscience, and assurance of life eternal through the Lord Jesus Christ are the only securities.

THIS LIFE A VISION.

The soul's happiness is too large a craft to sail up the stream of worldly pleasure. As ship carpenters say, it draws too much water. This earth is a bubble, and it will burst. This life is a vision, and it will soon pass away. Time! It is only a ripple, and it breaketh against the throne of judgment. Our days! They fly swifter than a shuttle, weaving for us a robe of triumph or a garment of shame. Begin your life with religion and for its greatest trial you will be ready. Every day will be a triumph, and death will be only a king's servant calling you to a royal banquet.

In olden time the man who was to receive the honors of knighthood was required to spend the previous night fully armed, and with shield and lance to walk up and down among the tombs of the dead. Through all the hours of that night his steady step was heard, and when morning dawned, amid grand parade and the sound of cornets the honors of knighthood were bestowed. Thus it shall be with the good man's soul in the night before heaven. Fully armed with shield and sword and helmet, he shall watch and wait until the darkness fly and the morning break, and amid the sound of celestial harpings the soul shall take the honors of heaven amid the innumerable throng, with robes snowy white streaming over seas of sapphire.

MORDECAI'S TRIUMPH COMING.

Mordecai will only have to wait for his day of triumph. It took all the preceding trials to make a proper background for his after successes. The scaffold built for him makes all the more imposing and picturesque the horse, into whose long, white mane he twisted his fingers at the mounting. You want at least two misfortunes, hard as flint, to strike fire. Heavy and long continued snows in the winter are signs of good crops next summer. So many have yielded wonderful harvests of benevolence and energy because they were a long while snowed under. We must have a good many hard falls before we learn to walk stright. It is on the black anvil of trouble that men hammer out their fortunes. Sorrows take up men on their shoulders and enthrone them. Tonics are nearly always bitter. Men, like fruit trees, are barren, unless trimmed with sharp knives. They are like wheat—all the better for the flailing. It required the prison darkness and chill to make John Bunyan dream. It took Delaware ice and cold feet at Valley Forge, and the whiz of bullets, to make a Washington. Paul, when he climbed up on the beach of Melita, shivering in his wet clothes, was more of a Christian than when the ship struck the breakers. Prescott, the historian, saw better without his eyes than he could ever have seen with them. Mordecai, despised at the gate, is only predecessor of Mordecai grandly mounted.

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A WORD WITH THE WORKING MEN.

"Single Tax" and Free Trade are the logical complements of each other, and both of them seem to offer a panacea for the ills peculiar to the workingman. Nevertheless, last fall, notwithstanding the strength of the workingmen in this city, a supporter of high taxation was elected to the Dominion House by acclamation. The workingmen of this city might have put a free trader in the field, and they could have elected him, but the workingmen never budged. This year, as well as not, the workingmen might have had a candidate, one of their own kind and especially pledged to their interests, but the workingmen never budged. It is true that the Opposition candidates have records which entitle them to the endorsement of the workingmen of this city, and hence, it fortunately comes about, that their interests will not suffer. The fact, however, that the workingmen are not politically organized, that not until after the nominations are over do they enunciate their principles, is indicative of reprehensible slackness, and if they are disgusted at the slowness with which reforms are effected they have nobody to blame but themselves. Some mossback or another masquerading as a Liberal Conservative, or as an independent supporter of the Government, is soon to be elected to the Dominion Parliament from New Westminster. Workingmen are numerically strong in that district, and just as well as not could they send a free trader to Ottawa. Will they do so? Not at all. Some old plaged out hack of the last generation will be elected, and the workingmen, as they pay out thirty extra cents on the dollar for their bread and butter, will simply content themselves by getting up "indignation meetings." Such supineness as this is one of the causes of the unsatisfactory condition of things in British Columbia to-day. Will the workingmen ever learn to take time by the forelock?

NEWSPAPERS AND THE PUBLIC.

Criticism of our newspaper press is pretty nearly universal. In all intelligent, refined companies, east and west, there is practically only one judgment about it. Again and again the remark is made, as to a particular newspaper, that it is a choice of evils. One and another is tried, it is said, and each one, for some reason, found objectionable for the family. What is to be done? This talk is to be heard in households, in clubs, on the change. Is it a sign that the public tastes have improved, or that the newspapers have deteriorated? Thus does CHARLES DUDLEY WARNER preclude an article on "Newspapers and the Public," in a recent number of the Forum. Proceeding, the writer inquires whether the objectionableness of the modern journal lays with the publishers or with the public. He concludes that the public is largely responsible. He points out that the American transacts his business rapidly, disposes of his meals quickly, travels fast, and is impatient of anything slow. That though it cannot be truthfully said that the American public are less vulgar and less purer than that of France and England, it is nevertheless very alert, is always looking for something to take hold of, is fond of short paragraphs, pointed and incisive, and that consequently, the "heavy columns of a London journal appear to be" dull. "What the public reads it knows may not be true, but it is clever, shows enterprise. It will be contradicted to-morrow; no matter, that is something to look forward to, to be amused with. It would seem that the nearer a newspaper approaches the character of street rumor, irresponsible, changing with the utterance of every gossip, the better it suits his (the public's) mood. He indulges in speculations himself on insignificant information, and he does not a moment complain when the newspaper does the same; and when he sits down at home or at his club, he denounces the newspaper as sensational, lowering to the public taste and morals." It is undeniable that the American people like personalities. "When HORACE GREELEY used to go about the country lecturing, it was his habit to advise his editorial brethren to cultivate the local field, to search out and print every event, accident, sale, arrival, departure, every detail of private life in the community, because people are most interested in reading about people they know. This advice acted upon by rural editors became so popular that the city dailies took it up and now devote columns to the whereabouts of persons with no claim to public mention. This desire for publicity has been cultivated by the newspapers, but did they create it? Would the newspapers continue to minister to it if the public did not sustain them? The city folks whose name appear in the columns of fashionable intelligence, smile at the list of nobodies in the country newspapers, but, really, is the importance of an individual increased by the accident of city residence? The people whose names are printed are shocked—they declare that they are disgusted with the prying, vulgar, newspaper that contains them; but they want to see the paper, and they run their eyes down the column in search of the names of their friends. Next week they look at the paper to see if their own names are there, and if they are left out is the paper as interesting and as enterprising as it seemed before? Is it not reasonable that the Court Circular of a democracy should include everybody? "The desire, we repeat, for publicity has been cultivated by the newspapers, but did they create it?" A little nonsense now and then is relished by the best of men, and allowing this to be true and allowing that the rank and file of American newspaper readers have as correct a taste as English readers, then, on this side of the water, the best of men not only relish a little nonsense but a good deal of it. The fact of the matter is, however, the character of English newspapers is regulated by the cultured classes. The English publisher caters to the cultured classes without any regard for the mob, whereas in the United States the object sought is to catch the attention of everybody. The English newspaper is published for information solely; the American newspaper for information and recreation. The American newspaper not alone seeks to instruct but to amuse not the cultured class but all classes. Mention to the editor of one of the big dailies that his organ is vulgar and nine times out of ten he will admit it, but he will excuse himself on the score that the people want it. The American newspaper is just what it is by reason of the character of its environment. It caters to the world and not to class.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Only that THEO believes he has a "dead sure thing" on a seat in the next House, it may be presumed that he would have been at the meeting last night prepared to prove by extracts from the TIMES that next to being the Prince of Blunderers he was a Single-taxist. So much for being an itinerant politician and having a borough well subsidized.

Much controversy has been caused in South Australia by the progressive land tax that has been proposed by the Government. The proposed tax begins to rise at £5,000 unimproved value. Land held to that amount by any one taxpayer is assessed at present at a halfpenny in the pound. It is proposed that on estates of greater value the tax will be increased by steps of one farthing till a maximum of threepence in the pound is reached on estates of £100,000 value. The owner of an estate of £100,000 will not pay threepence on the whole value, but a halfpenny on the first 5,000 acres, three farthings on the next, and so on.

"HONEST JOHN," making discretion the better part of valor, practically stands for Cariboo as well as for his beloved district of New Westminster. This not only proves his coward fears of his own district, belying at the same time that famous dispatch sent him by ex-Mayor HENDRY, but is a forcible reminder of the fact that he is bound to keep his grip on the "flesh pots" or lust. The Hon. JOHN ROBSON rise superior to his constituency in the matter of redistribution, but he dares not leave it wholly to his constituency to vindicate him. For political cowardice he and the Attorney-General are twins, both tarred with the same stick, both ready to eat dirt for the spoils of office, and thus presenting a humiliating spectacle, the shadow of the thing somehow reflects darkly on the electorate who shall endorse them.

Government candidates last night were conspicuous by their absence, none of the quartette being present but Capt. IRVING, who, as became a bluff sailor man, said with regard to single tax that he "didn't know a thing about it." The working men will please note that the three remaining kid glove candidates for the great Robsonian game of "thumbs up," manifest as absentees a poor stomach for Georgeism. Not only are they too high toned to sit on the same platform with men whose votes they crave, but they lack the moral courage to express their assent or dissent to fiscal reform. Will the working men support these upstarts who by their absence last night declared themselves the advocates of plutocracy? Men who are afraid to stand before the electors and express their honest opinions are poor stuff at the best. Let the working men of this city remember as much at the polls.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

TO THE EDITOR,—Is it not enough that teachers should be compelled periodically to go up for examination, without the possibility of their being debarred from it on account of the imperfect and misleading advertisement signed S. D. Pope, superintendent of education, which appears in the Gazette and Government papers. Will you be kind enough to state (though not paid for it) [illegible] these teachers "shall send the description of any certificate they may possess" on or before June 3rd.

J. N. MUIR.

AN ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

TO THE EDITOR,—Will you kindly afford me space to make a few remarks concerning the farewell social and presentation at the Gorge church last evening. While I was informed by the advertisements in the daily press of the proposed social, I must confess that the presentation was to me a complete surprise. I do not feel that I have been sufficiently long in Victoria to have merited any such mark of esteem as was displayed by the congregation of the Gorge Church in their magnificent presentation last night. The people of this congregation have contributed so liberally to their own church, and to many outside charities, and have paid so liberal a stipend to me during the year, that I felt it unnecessary on their part to add to these things. Knowing them as I do, and having been the recipient of so many favors at their hands, I can only express my most sincere gratitude to the doners of this last gift. While I appreciate fully the kindness of every one whose name is on the list of contributors, I wish particularly to express my thanks to those who carried out the arrangements and made both presentation and social a grand success. I am sure I shall not soon forget my Victoria friends and shall carry with me everywhere the kindest feelings toward them.

W. W. BAER.

Out of the Profesh.

A middle aged man, with a satchel between his feet, sat in front of a Canal street hotel the other evening when a pedestrian turned aside and accosted him with:

"Well, are you off?"

"Beg pardon, sir, but you have the advantage of me," replied the first.

"Well, well, but that's queer. We have been together four weeks."

"You—you are not"—

"I am Ka-bush-ky, the Zulu, who can't speak a word of English, and prefers raw meat to cooked. You are Tornado Tom, the celebrated scout and Indian slayer, and are modestly credited with having killed thirty-seven Indians. We both exhibited from the same platform in the museum."

"Thunder! but so we did! Well, what's new?"

"Going home to Indiana to-morrow. The old man wants me to help him run the grocery, and I'm tired of the Zulu business. Too much sameness about it. Have to hold a peach stone in my mouth to produce the guttural, and it wears on my teeth. Which way you going?"

"Back to Toronto. I'm tired of this cowboy business. Public asks too many questions. Fellers come in every day and want to see my scars. I've got Dakota, Kansas and Nebraska all mixed up in my geography, and somebody gets on to me every day for a deceiver. If I start out again it will be as William Belding, the Australian murderer, who was sentenced to be hanged seven different times, but who finally proved his innocence."

"Well, Tornado, so long!"

"Ka-bush-ky, good-by, and may luck go with you."—New York Sun.

How Attar of Roses Is Made.

The manufacture of attar of roses furnishes employment to hundreds of persons. A visit to the rose-fields is something one will remember a life-time. The largest rose-fields in the world are at Kezan Lik, in Bulgaria. There the roses from which the perfume is made are cultivated most extensively. The rose district extends for miles and miles, and the entire country is a solid mass of flowers. The district is, I should judge, about one thousand square miles. In procuring the attar of roses nothing but the leaves are used. It takes 6,000 pounds of leaves to make one pound of the attar. The rose leaves are picked in the proper season, thrown into piles and then taken up and placed in large copper kettles for the purpose of distilling the pure oil or attar. The kettles are arranged one within another and the vapors are taken through twenty-five or thirty distillations. Good attar of roses can be had for from $12 to $15 per ounce at wholesale. It sometimes retails for $50 to $60 an ounce.—Kansas City Times.

—A "pagan" was originally the inhabitant of a pagus, or village, a countryman. It came to mean "heathen," because it was chiefly in the country, outside the town, that the worshipers of the old national gods were allowed to continue. A "heathen" was originally a person living on the heath.

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A Most Wonderful Baby.

In 1721 there was born at Lubeck, Germany, one of the most remarkable characters ever known in the history of the world, or, perhaps, that will ever be known in all times to come, little Christian Henry Heinecken, who could pronounce every word contained in the German language when but 9½ months old. When 1 year of age he knew all the leading events in the world's history and was as familiar with Pentateuch as most modern professors are supposed to be with their first text book. At 14 months he could give a complete history of every book in both the Old and New Testament; at 2 years 6 months he could answer any question in geography and ancient history. He could hold conversation with the learned savants in German, French, Latin and Dutch when ending the third year of his life, which terminated a few months later by his death in 1725, in the fourth year of his age.

In the few short weeks allotted to him, little Henry was baby, boy, youth, man and gray beard; learning more in that short time than many of the world's greatest personages have been able to learn in the years of a long life. Just a little while before his death he was called before the king of Denmark, who showed the little prodigy every mark of respect. Returning to his native city he set about studying the religions and learning to write, which, added to his other acquirements, was too much for his delicate health, resulting in his death as above mentioned.—St. Louis Republic.

Civilization of the Peruvians.

In architecture the Peruvians reached a high state of perfection, and the remains of one of their works of art, at Lake Titicaca, are truly wonderful. Their temples were covered with extensive bas reliefs, representing, as it is supposed, certain astronomical figures. They were skilled in making stone implements, but very few arrow heads have been found, which leads to the supposition that they made very little use of bows and arrows, and that their chief weapon of defense was the sling. Besides this they used war clubs and javelins.

The country abounds in extensive copper mines, and the inhabitants were evidently well acquainted with certain metals, their agricultural implements being chiefly of bronze. They were also skillful gold and silver smiths, and excelled in the manufacture of all kinds of pottery, while the art of spinning and weaving was also not unknown to them.

The tombs that have been found in Peru are very numerous and remarkably well preserved. This is due to their belief in the immortality of man and the superstition that unless all his members were kept together, he would not b resurrected.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Taming Scorpions.

A belief in snake charming has so long kept its hold upon the minds of men that any evidence as to the methods of dealing with really venomous reptiles has special value. Mr. Arthur Adams, in his "Travels of a Naturalist," tells how he managed the matter:

Talking of scorpions reminds me that I have at times induced some people to believe that I possessed the power of taming these antipathetical creatures, and their equally repellent many footed relatives, the centipedes. Though the capacity of rendering such venomous reptiles harmless may appear amazing to the uninitiated, there was really nothing supernatural in the art, which simply consisted in surreptitiously nipping off the tip of the scorpion's sting and the poison hooks of Scolopendra's jaws with a pair of scissors.

Thus deprived of the power to penetrate the skin, the once noxious insects are baffled in their attempts to do mischief, and may be permitted to roam over the hands and face without the slightest fear of danger.—Youth's Companion.

The Size of a Book.

No book too heavy to hold in one hand has any right to exist, to the exclusion of the same work in the ideal form, and we would have that form the original shape of publication; those who want books to furnish their libraries, not their minds, might wait. As it is now, half a dozen interests conspire to give the lover of literature his love first in a guise that makes it a burden. Certain works of science and art, whose primary appeal is not literary, might take the shape their authors judged fittest; but there is no reason except the commercial reason why fiction, poetry, travel, biography, history should not always be offered us first as we have suggested.—W. D. Howells in Harper's.

Ribbons Instead of Sleeve Links.

Apropos of the things men wear, you must drop your sleeve links and substitute for them a very narrow ribbon, which is tied in a stiff little bow through the two button holes.

This is le dernier cri in Paris, and no end of surmises come up as to how the fashion arose. Most fashions have their birth from accidents, and it is fair to conclude that Alphonse, in a spirit of gallantry, gave his sleeve links to Therese, Elise or Marie, and that she, returning the compliment, drew the pretty little ribbon from her lingerie and fastened together, in a feminine fashion, the cuffs that were linkless.—Philadelphia Times.

The Value of Kangaroo Skins.

Up to 1869 kangaroos were killed [illegible] and [illegible] were cut into shoestrings. But an Englishman named Brown in that year discovered the remarkable character of the leather and brought several thousand skins to this country.

He tried to sell the hides to tanners, but they were shy of the novelty, and he had to sell them at a sacrifice to a bookbinder. The bookbinder made triangular corner pieces in ledgers and commercial books out of the skins, and so ascertained the good quality of the leather. It was in this way that the large leather factories were first attracted to kangaroo hide.—Nature.

Kissing.

A correspondent who describes himself as "a man of mature years, but limited social experience," wants to know:

"If there is any trustworthy record as to the origin and practice of kissing. I have been told," he says, "that every tribe of people that have been found anywhere in the world are addicted to the practice. I should like to know if that is so, and also who were the first people to begin kissing."

So far as our investigations show, the first kiss on record is the osculatory salute between Isaac and his son Jacob, mentioned in the 27th chapter of Genesis; but it is not unreasonable to suppose that Isaac had kissed the mother many times before he exchaned kisses with the son.

The ancient Hebrews seem to have reduced kissing to an exact science, and to have given it a nomenclature. We find from the Old Testament that they had the kiss of homage, of subjection, of reconciliation, of approbation, of welcome, of love and joy, of sorrow, of peace, of idolatrous worship, of valediction, of gratitude and many others. We also read in the Scripture of hypocritical kisses, like that bestowed by Joab on Amasa when about to slay him; and worst and foulest of all, of the traitorous salute by which Judas betrayed the Saviour.

The primitive Christians interchanged kisses before receiving the communion, as a token of religious fellowship. An attempt was made some years ago at a certain place of worship in New York to revive the practice, but owing to "modern degeneracy," or some other cause, the "kissing church" was far from being a moral and religious success. Scandal's envenomed tongue soon began to wag against the brothers and sisters, and the experiment was given up.

It is not true that every tribe of people indulge in kissing. Some of the lower tribes do not seem to know anything about that "token of affection" which is so dear to the more enlightened races. But among people who have risen a little above the savage state, it seems that kissing, as Dogberry says of reading and writing, "comes by nature."—New York Ledger.

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NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MR. ALAN S. DUMBLETON, Solicitor of Supreme Court of England and British Columbia has been admitted a partner in the firm of Messrs. Walker & Pemberton, Barristers and Solicitors. The firm will on and after the 1st day of July next be carried on under the name of Messrs. Walker, Pemberton & Dumbleton. m27-jy1

HAVING THIS DAY DISPOSED OF THE Stock in Trade and Good Will of my business to Messrs. Cowan and Wilson, I take this opportunity of thanking you for the liberal patronage with which you have favored me for many years, and I respectfully ask for a continuance of the same to my successors, whom I can confidently recommend to your favorable consideration. I am assuming all the liabilities and collecting all the debts connected with the late business.

S. J. PITTS.

Victoria, B. C., May 19th, 1890. my12

Referring to the above announcement, we respectfully ask for a continuance of the patronage with which you have favored Mr. S. J. Pitts in the past. We assure you that any orders you may entrust us with will receive our prompt and careful attention, and that our aim will be to merit your confidence and support.

COWAN & WILSON.

May 12-1m

DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Partnership business heretofore carried on by James Angus and Benjamin Gordon, under the name of Angus & Gordon, wholesale and retail grocers, has this day been dissolved by effluxion of time. James Angus retains the book debts and credits of the late firm of Angus & Gordon and assumes all the liabilities thereof. The business will be hereafter carried on by Benjamin Gordon at the premises occupied by the late firm.

[signed.] JAMES ANGUS.
B. GORDON.

Victoria, May 1, 1890.

In continuing the business of the firm of Angus & Gordon I have to thank the public for the very liberal patronage extended to it during the past three years, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. I shall endeavor to remain and add to the large trade built up by the late firm, by keeping a first-class stock of all kinds of Family Groceries, Provisions, and Liquors, and by strictly attending to the wants of customers.

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A BY-LAW

To Further Amend the Revenue By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS it is expedient to further amend the Revenue By-Law, 1889;

BE IT ENACTED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Victoria as follows:

By adding after section 10, schedule A of the said by-law the following section: "10a. Every person carrying on the business of a fur trader or fur dealer, $50 for every six months."

By adding after the figures "10" in the next line of said section 10, schedule A, of the said by-law, the words and figures "and 10a," and by striking out the word "and" preceding the said figures "10."

By adding after section 11 of the said schedule A of the said by-law the following sections, "11a." Every proprietor or manager of any theatre for each exhibition $10 "11b." Every express company, gas company, telephone company, electric light company, street railway or tramway company, $50 for every six months. 11c. Every investment and loan society, $50 for every six months.

This by-law may be cited as the "Revenue By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1890."

Passed the Municipal Council the 14th day of May, A.D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this twenty-first day of May, A. D. 1890.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C. m22

MUNICIPAL.

THE ATTENTION OF PARTIES INTERested is hereby called to Section 2 of the "Johnson Street Sewer By-law 1890," which reads as follows:

"It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to make or construct any drain or sewer to connect with the water way known as Johnson Street Ravine, and all private sewers now connecting with the said ravine shall be within thirty days (30) after the passage of this By-law filled up and obstructed."

Persons having such sewerage connection to their premises are hereby notified to make good and thorough drainage connection forthwith either directly, or by lateral drain, with the Johnson Street Sewer, under the superintendence of the Drainage Committee, as the Board of Aldermen on behalf of the Corporation of the City of Victoria hold themselves free from damage or loss in case any party or parties fail to observe the conditions of the "Johnson Street Sewer By-law 1890."

Any violation of the provisions of the above by-law will be dealt with according to law.

By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

City Hall, May 13, 90 my14

MUNICIPAL

PERSONS WISHING TO obtain a copy of the Annual Report of His Worship the Mayor upon Corporation matters, for the year 1889, can obtain same, without charge, upon application at the City Hall.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

City Hall, May 5, 1890. my5

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City Hall, May 28, 1890. my28-td

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called in the granting of lands to speculators and monopolists. Fortunately for the working classes of British Columbia the land was not yet all gone, and the condition of the working men was better here than in other lands. But allow the land to be taken up by monopolists, and the scenes of Europe would be repeated here. Schemes had been thrown out to build railways and factories that wealth might be produced. In the States and countries where such wealth existed grinding poverty also existed. Crowds of unemployed swarmed in those rich states, for only a few were rich. Allow the land monopoly to go on here, and the same poverty would soon stare us in the face. Here in British Columbia the workingmen owned their homes, but in New York they could not, as the enormous values placed on land debarred its purchase by poor men. Mercantile men were also endangered, too, by the threatening aspect of the over valuation on lands, as what hurt the laboring classes hurt the merchant classes. It is a well-known fact that a year ago land for a home could be purchased cheaper than now, but could a better price be obtained for labor? No, and the only good done was to the original holders of the land. The precepts of Henry George were becoming known, and his teachings were being studied, to the good of mankind. Those candidates for the suffrages of the people should study the theory and practice it, and the electors should demand something from the candidates beside courtesy before the elections and contempt afterwards. He had marked the Legislature in the past, and found that it was mostly made in the in the interests of the rich. He closed his remarks by a fervid appeal to the working men to see to it that their rights were protected, and took his seat amid prolonged applause.

Mr. Bragg for two or three reasons would be brief, one of which was to give the candidates an opportunity to speak. The name "workingmen" had been frequently heard of late and it was, of course, because workingmen had votes. (Hear, hear.) Many were opposed to the single tax because they said Henry George would turn things upside down. He claimed that he would turn things right side up. (Applause.) Henry George proposed improved systems of government. He wished workingmen would hold together better than they do. If they did they could soon have representatives of their own on the floor of the House. There were workingmen quite as capable of taking a seat on the floor of the house as any lawyer, doctor, or anyone else. In conclusion he expressed the hope that there would be a stronger single tax club in Victoria in future, and stronger representation of the workingmen on the floors of parliament. (Applause.)

Hon. Robt. Beaven being called, amid the cheers of the audience stepped to the front of the platform and stated that he did not wish to try and influence the voters in his behalf by making promises on the question at issue. It had been handled well by the previous speakers. He would say, though, that he had been impressed with the truths of what had been expounded; he had though, since his career as a politician done a little toward the formulating of laws for the public. Without egotism, he would review some of his work. In the matter of municipal taxation he had many years ago before a general municipal act had been the law, brought in such a measure one object of which was to change the municipal taxation. He could never see why a man who had a three story house on a lot should be taxed more than his neighbor who only had a one story building. He could not see why improvements should be taxed as high as the land. The proposition was met in the house with disfavor, and he was forced to abandon it. He believed he was right, but at that period he was ahead of the times. Lately a different feeling had obtained, and last session he had brought in a bill which gave powers to the municipalities to make a distinction for the purposes of taxation between improvements and the land itself. This bill had become law, and now improvements could be taxed 50 per cent. less than the land. This, as he now learnt, was a step in the direction of the single tax, although he was not aware of it at the time, and thus by entering the thin edge of the wedge the full result would in time be assured. Public opinion had to be educated up to these reforms, and no great sweeping measures could be made in advance of public opinion. The values of land had been touched upon, and in connection with it he would say that many years ago a reserve had been set aside for the use of the Songish Indians, just across the harbor. This land, although unimproved, had grown greatly in value, on account of its proximity to the city. This showed how the values of land advanced. It was the people gave the values. Last session Mr. Duck had suggested that the Indians be removed, and the land given up to the Province for sale. Mr. Beaven, though, had made an amendment to this, and advised that the monies accruing from such sale should revert to the city of Victoria, as the improvements made by the citizens of Victoria had been the cause of the immense increase in value of the reserve. This suggestion of his had been decided out of order, and was not entertained, but he submitted that it was only just to ask for it, as it was due to the industry of Victoria that the land had risen in value. This was his feeling in the matter, although he did not wish to use his ideas to influence the votes of the electors. The electors should be guided by their sense of what was right and send the best man to represent them. Amid hearty applause Mr. Beaven took his seat, after thanking the audience for its patient and polite hearing.

Mayor Grant, on being called, said he had listened to what had been said this evening with a great deal of satisfaction. For his own part he had taken the paper dealing with this particular principle—single tax—for some years, and as far as the multiplicity of his duties would permit had endeavored to post himself concerning it. The principle of single tax to his mind suggested a fair and equitable basis of taxation, and to bring it into practical use it would no doubt remove many of the existing abuses under the present systems. The difficulty to apply it, to make it work, was here: A man has sold a piece of land and has the proceeds in the bank. Another man who has striven all his life to get a few dollars together, has purchased the other's land and put all his money into it. The new system coming into force, a problem which troubled him was, how to deal fairly with both men. One had the land on his hands the other the money to make use of under the new system. As to workingmen, he probably had worked as hard as anyone and he had been associated with workingmen both as a superintendent and an employer of labor for many years. He had this to say, he never had among the thousands with whom he had been connected, one who was not willing to come back and work with him again. (Applause.) In concluding he repeated that he considered that the single tax contained a just principle, and the question now was how could it be fairly and equitably be brought about. (Applause.)

Mr. Charles Wilson said that they were now for the first time face to face with the principle. It was a revelation to him. A new idea. He knew nothing of the question as he had not studied it, and to yield instant adhesion to it would be foolish and perhaps dishonest. One thing, though, he would pronounce in favor of, and that was non-taxing improvements, although the carrying of it out practically would meet with much opposition. He thought still that the subject could be settled. He had been struck with one thing, and that was that we were reverting to the legislation of our ancestors, as at one time taxes had been on the land alone. Perhaps, though, that this system was the best, and reverting was not retrogression. It had been said the measure and not the man should be considered, but he held that the measure emanated from the man. No blind acceptance of a new subject like this should be made, and he was convinced that ultimately the single tax question would be a political question, and if ever the working classes combined intelligently they could have single tax or any other measure desired. He was sure that the theory was right, and it would practically do over with the sin and suffering which humanity endured, then for heaven's sake let single tax obtain. (Cheers and prolonged applause.)

Capt. Irving said that what he knew about single tax would not detain the audience five minutes. In fact said he, I don't know a thing about it. Proceeding, he pointed out that he was connected with business concerns which paid out $500,000 annually. He did not run the election for any personal gain, but in order that Victoria might have some one of backbone in the House when the time came. In concluding he promised the audience that he would study up Henry George with the assistance of the chairman and if single tax was as good as the single tax men said it was we would have it. This remark of the captain's and several others during his speech brought the house down and shook several surrounding buildings.

Dr. Milne said that the question of single tax had been pretty well discussed. Of himself he knew but little about it, but he had been interested in its explanation, and felt that it was a matter which demanded legislative action. It had already been dealt with in Pennsylvania, and might be here in a short time. He believed that if the matter was properly dealt with the question of absentee landlords would be settled. Of himself he would go so far as to say that he favored free trade, as the workingman was kept poor by the excessive duties, duties imposed in the interests of the rich manufacturer. The reason that he was an Opposition man was because he had studied the policy of the present Government and believed that it was not of a kind to help the workingmen, and he did believe that the platform of the Opposition would deal more fairly with them. (Cheers.) Dr. Milne closed his few remarks by promising that the interests of the workingmen would be carefully guarded by him, and thanked those present for their attention.

Mr. Richards said there was no doubt but that the system of Provincial taxation was an unfair and unjust one, and the principle laid down here to-night not to tax improvements was a correct one. The vicious effects of the present system were to be seen everywhere around us. Some of the finest streets of property in the city were covered with mere shacks and cabins, on which tall brick buildings would be reared if the system of taxation was different. (Applause.) There were many owners of property with small buildings on their holdings which they refuse to improve, simply because they had only to pay light taxes now, and the small buildings brought in a fair revenue. If the tax were on the land and not on the improvements better buildings would be erected. The taxes were not equal. Take the Work estate, where a strip of land runs through the centre of the city. On one side of the street, the land is cut up into lots and is assessed at $3000 per acre, on the opposite side of the street an acre tract which is not divided is assessed at $2,000 per acre. Was this a fair principle? (No, no.) If property was properly taxed the owner would either be compelled to improve it or to sell it to those who would. (Applause.)

The resolutions moved by Mr. Jackson were then put to the meeting and carried unanimously.

A vote of thanks to the chairman, moved by Mayor Grant and seconded by Capt. Irving, having been heartily accorded, the meeting adjourned.

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CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

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Final Meeting of the General Jubilee Hospital Committee.

The following portion of the report of the hospital committees was omitted yesterday.

Mr. George Byrnes did not think the people of Victoria had responded to a request for subscriptions to the hospital as they should have done. It should not owe one cent. He suggested that a subscription list should be opened now, and an active canvass made.

Mr. Davies suggested that a full report and resume of the proceedings of the building committee should be prepared for publication.

In reply to a question by Dr. Milne, the president stated that there was a debt of $15,000 on the building.

Mr. Robt. Ward said all had seen how unselfishly the honorary secretary, Mr. Wm. Chudley, had worked without hope of reward, for this institution. In fact he did not see how the committee could have done without him, and although he hoped some more tangible recognition of his services would be made at an early day, he would move that the thanks of this committee be extended to Mr. Chudle for his invaluable services in connection with the erection of the Jubilee Hospital. Mr. Geo. Byrnes seconded the resolution.

Mayor Grant and Mr. Redfern paid Mr. Chudley the very highest compliments for his services.

President Smith had reason to know what Mr. Chudley had done, and did not believe another man could have been found in the Province who could have carried out the work so satisfactorily.

The resolution passed amid hearty applause to which Mr. Chudley made a neat reply.

On motion of Mr. Redfern, seconded by Mr. Wilson, a hearty vote of thanks was also extended to President Smith.

Mr. Smith was glad to know such services as he had been able to render had been of advantage to the committee.

Mr. Fell desired to say a few words before the committee adjourned. "They say," said he, "that a church ——". Committee, "Oh, oh, none of that (laughter).

Mr. Fell, "Oh, don't you cry before you're hurt" (laughter). "They say a church never prospered without a little debt on it, and I think possibly it will work the same way with a hospital. There is no necessity to trouble ourselves about the debt just now. That can be attended to later on if necessary, but I am sure Mr. Chudley will not let matters rest till he clears that off.

Before adjourning, President Smith desired to say a few words. He said, since the committee had been formed, three years ago, a great deal of work had been gone through without much difficulty,—without any difficulty, in fact, excepting in respect to the size. It was thought that it was too far away but the construction of the street car lines, since then, had minimized the distance. Everything had gone well from the start. The ground, purchased for less than $7,000, was worth $20,000 to-day. The land belonging to the old hospital brought much more than was expected, and so assistance came from a quarter which it was not expected. The construction of the building was carried out without a hitch and now it was finished no one had a word of complaint about it, if he person be excepted who said "there should be no mouldings on the doors." (Laughter.) No one could say that one dollar of the money he had subscribed to the building had not been properly expended. He could hardly agree with Mr. Byrnes that the public had not contributed liberally and freely, and told of instances which came under his personal observation, where men gave all they were able to give. If properly conducted the same spirit of charity would continue, and there would be no difficulty about maintaining it. Nothing could have been better chosen to commemorate Her Majesty's jubilee and nothing more appropriate than that it should have been opened and dedicated by her son, the Duke of Connaught. Even the weather was the Queen's weather at the laying of the corner stone, at the opening it was the same, and to-day, at the final meeting of the committee. There had been no trouble with any of the contractors, each doing his work in a satisfactory manner and doing what they could to assist in carrying the work to a successful issue. In closing he suggested that a vote of thanks be extended to the Board of Trade for the use of their rooms, and also to the press for many favors.

Dr. Milne moved a vote of thanks to the Board of Trade for the use of their rooms and to the press. He also added a word of praise to Mr. Chudley for his great services.

The resolution having been carried, the committee adjourned sine die.

The building committee wish to compliment the architect, Mr. John Teague, on the uncommon fact of there being no "extras" to be paid for. It showed that he had been most attentive and careful in his duties, and the committee were fortunate to have had so efficient a gentleman to direct and plan the work. One, too, whose liberal charges were a matter of note.

CITY POLICE COURT.

(Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q.C., P. M.)

One drunk was disposed of in the usual way before the more important cases came up.

Wm. Williams, who was charged yesterday with having stolen a watch, but who was allowed to go on his promising not be having been arrested during the night by Chief Sheppard and Officer Hunter with $35 in his possession. The prosecutor was put in the box and gave the following evidence: He said he did not know the prisoner. On Tuesday night he was at a restaurant. He went to bed in the Delmonico hotel with a gold watch (the one produced in court) and about $45 in money. When he got up in the morning the money and watch were missing. He did not lock the door of his room.

W. Carrich, called, deposed that he had seen the prisoner around the Delmonico. He took the prosecutor to his room to the hotel. He left the prosecutor on the stairs while he lit the lamp. The prisoner was upstairs at the time in the room next to the prosecutor.

Several other witnesses were called, who testified that they had seen the prisoner with the watch, and also that he had told them that he had hidden it in the engine-house, where it was found by an officer while he was being taken to the lock-up. The prisoner stated that he had bought it from another man, and knowing it was stolen, he hid it there.

He was then committed for trial.

The Louvre,

On Johnson street, is the place to go for a fine glass of beer at 5 cents. A short order lunch counter attached. Open day and night. *

Seattle Fires.

Seattle seems to suffer lately by reason of fires. Four have occurred the past few days in that city, resulting in losses totalling up nearly $60,000. Something seems wrong over there.

The Contented Man.

The Rev. G. M. Milligan, of Toronto, will lecture in the school room of St. Andrew's church, on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock. Subject: "The Contented Man, Who is He?" Admission 25 cents. In aid of the building fund of Victoria West Presbyterian church.

Grocery Business Sold.

The grocery business of Mr. J. C. Devlin, corner of Yates and Broad streets, has been sold to A. J. Robotham who formally carried on business at the corner of Douglas and Pandora streets. Mr. Robotham takes possession on Monday.

An Outside Opinion.

The Port Townsend Ledger says: "The Victoria Colonist is becoming belligerent toward its contemporary, the TIMES, and opens its hostilities by calling the latter "a liar." The celebration of the Queen's birthday must have an irritating effect upon the editorial mind of our B. C. cousins."

Appointment.

Officer Robb who for two years served on the city police force, and who of late has been acting as a special provincial police, has been appointed constable vice C. J. Miller resigned. Officer Robb is a good officer and thoroughly understands his business and no doubt Sergt. Langley will have a good assistant. Mr. Miller intends taking a position as commercial traveller, a business in which all his friends wish him the best of luck.

The New Flour Mill.

Among the freight that arrived down by the Islander last evening were two carloads of machinery for Hall, Ross & Company's new flour mill. The machinery is of very fine make, and the Victoria Flour Mill will be one of the best on the coast. The frame work of the building is well under way, and as soon as it is ready the machinery will be put in position and before many months Victoria will be able to "quit" importing the large amount of flour that is daily arriving from the Sound, Portland and the East.

A Shrewd Chinaman.

The latest dodge of the heathen Chinese has been worked on a lot of confiding U. S. customs officers. A Mongolian resident of Port Townsend, went down to Port Angeles the other day, and when he wished to return to his home bethought himself as to how he could do it the cheapest. He obtained from a brother celestial a return certificate issued by the British Columbia Government and then managed to be discovered by a customs officer after dark and in a suspicous way. John was immediately collared by the astute officers, and on being searched the British Columbia certificate found on him was assumed to be proof positive of the fact that he had been smuggled in from this coast. The Chinaman would not "savee" any English, and was kept until the Port Townsend authorities could be communicated with, and was then sent up by the revenue cutter Wollcott. On arriving at Port Townsend it was found that the Chinaman was one Yen Sen, a well known resident and he was released. He now smiles placidly over the way he beat the United States Government out of a trip from Port Angeles to Port Townsend.

Behring Sea.

There is no question about the intention of the United States Government to close Behring sea against indiscriminate sealing. The San Francisco Call, commenting on the situation says, after pointing out that the Government is bound to protect the lessees of the sealing interests, "that it is matter of regret that the abstract question of international law has not been settled before the opening of the fishing season. Sooner or later the two powers must arrive at a conclusion either that Behring sea is an open sea or that it is a closed sea. They may reach that conclusion by a comparison of the facts and the laws between themselves; or they may leave the controversy to an arbitrator. However the problem is solved, solved it must be, and without much delay; and under the circumstances it is a pity that it has not been solved before the naked question of law is embarrassed by accidents which may be irritating. It may not be as easy to to reach the conclusion after British sealers have been captured or after the United States flag has been shot away by some reckless mariner from Victoria. The matter would be of less consequence if international relations were always under the control of statesmen. But, as General Von Moltke wisely remarked the other day, Governments are nowadays not always able to control the questions of war and peace. Strained relations frequently grow out of outbursts of popular passion."

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Applications to be marked "Resident Medical Officer," and addressed for the new Board of Directors to

WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Hon. Sec. pro tem.
Victoria, B. C., 5th May, 1890. may5-td

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.
(Incorporated 1889.)

NURSES.

APPLICATIONS FOR THE POSITION of Superintendent Matron and Nurse, and three under nurses, for the above Institution will be received up to the 3rd day of June next, at 6 p. m.

All applications are to be made in WRITING ONLY, stating age, copies of testimonials, if specially trained, where previously engaged, and the amount of remuneration hitherto received for such services.

Applications to be marked "Nurses" and addressed for the new Board of Directors to

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Hon. Sec. pro tem.
Victoria, B. C., 3rd May, 1890. may4-td

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

To Contractors for Supplies.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED for supplies for above Institution for 12 months from 21st May, 1890, to 21st June, 1891, for the following articles, to be delivered free:

Meat, Vegetables, Bread, Milk, Groceries, Provisions, Coals, etc. [illegible] to be of the best quality, [illegible] to be delivered to the lowest bidder.

All tenders to be addressed to the undersigned, [illegible] by the new Board of Directors, not later than [illegible] June, at 6 p. m.

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A FAIRHAVEN VISITOR

Who Thinks Victoria and Her Mayor are All Right.

"Excursionist," one of the large party of Fairhaven people who visited Victoria on the 24th, writes an interesting account of the trip to the Fairhaven Herald. Among other things he says: "The occasion was a friendly visit to the good people of our older sister—the city of Victoria—to join with them in doing honor to the natal day of Britain's Queen. The trip over to Victoria was a most delightful one, Capt. Baily and his officers doing all in their power to provide for the comfort and safety of his precious cargo. That prince of pursers, the ever genial McClelland—or, as he is familiarly called—'Mac,' with his usual *savoir faire*, made every one feel perfectly at home. On entering the harbor at Victoria, the saucy little "State" "dipped" her colors as gracefully as if she had been saluting a brand new admiral. The party were met at the wharf by that prince among men, Mayor Grant, of Victoria, and though this gentleman was almost worn out, with the many duties of his office, he never left the party until every possible arrangement was completed for a thorough enjoyment of the 24th. There was a varied programme of amusements, baseball, horse races, lacrosse, regatta, drives, etc.

Captain Graham, a recent arrival in Fairhaven, spent a few days in Victoria making preparations for the arrival of the Fairhaven party. He modestly thinks that he "done the State some service," and from what the boys and the "State" say about him, we think he was, even at the sacrifice of his wardrobe.

On the morning of the 24th Governor Black and a number of ladies and gentlemen drove out to Esquimalt, the naval station. They were very kindly shown all the wonders of a "British man-of-war. The Amphion was lying in dry dock and looked very peaceful, yet she carried some powerful reminders of how very spiteful she could be if occasion required. The return drive to the city by way of the "Gorge" was delightful. Our artistic young friends, from Tacoma, were so impressed with the beauties of Ky., water, landscape, and other works of the Creator that the codac was frequently brought into requisition. We feel confident the result will be many beautiful and lasting impressions. The party returned to the city about noon, lunched, and spent the rest of the day sight-seeing. Purser McClelland was indefatigable in looking after the interests of the company and their guests. So much so indeed that in his efforts to "gather in" the visitors he got "left" behind himself. He caught up to the "State" at Seattle, Sunday evening. The day closed with a grand display of fireworks. Victoria is a beautiful place, the people are genial and warm hearted. Her worthy mayor may well be proud of the city of which he is the chief magistrate, and we should not be at all surprised to hear of his having K. C. M. G. placed after his name."

BOILER BURNED.

The Steam Scow Mascot in Trouble—Said to be Plenty of Water.

The new steam barge Mascot, built to carry stone, is lying at Spratt & Gray's wharf with a burned boiler, she being disabled for the time being. The trouble occurred on her first trip to Nelson Island. She was steaming up the Straits, and was off Sooke when the port engine became temporarily disabled, and was stopped. The fire under the port boiler was also caused down, and the people of the boat assert positively that there was plenty of water in the port boiler. However, the boiler is burnt, the plates buckled, and the rivets loose, and to the practiced eye all the indication of low water are observable, as the plates are oxidized by the action of the fire, and bear every appearance of low water. Practical and expert engineers say that the boiler has been burnt, and it seems very strange it could occur with plenty of water in it.

The boilers of the Mascot are both new, having been recently built by Messrs. Spratt & Gray. They were tested and inspected by Mr. W. A. Russell, Government steamboat inspector, and found to be of excellent design and construction, being subjected to a 156 pounds water test as prescribed by law. It has been stated that through some defect in the boilers a break occurred, and flooded the fires. This is not so, as when the boilers left Spratt & Gray's hands they were all right. The reason of the burning of the plates must be looked for somewhere else, and has evidently been caused by a lack of water in the boiler, although it is asserted there was plenty. A full enquiry into the matter will probably be made, and if any negligence or incompetence on the part of any one is proved, the department of marine will deal with the matter as it deems fit. In the interest of those gentlemen who hold certificates from the department an inquiry should be made that no blame may be wrongly laid if it be not due.

Arrived.

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar. *

Baby Buggies, the finest and largest assortment in the city at low prices, from $9.50 up, at J. Sehl's 66 Government street.

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Thermometer at Kellogg's.

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Church Notes.

Rev. G. M. Milligan, of Toronto, will occupy the pulpit at St. Andrew's church to-morrow evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

Clearance Sale.

For the next thirty days I will sell as follows:—$40 suits for $35, $35 suits for $30, $16 pants for $12, $14 pants for $10, $12 pants for $8. All garments in same proportion. J. McCallum, 43 Fort street. my19-1m

Provincial Police.

An Indian was arrested on the Songish reserve last night, by officer Tom James, for beating his wife and trying to drown her. When the officer came along the man had the woman under water, and it took a good blow on the head to make him release his hold. When arrested he had a bottle in his possession, and for that violation of the law he was fined $50, and $5 costs, in the provincial court this morning.

The Hustede Affair.

The statement published the other day that Admiral Heneage had retreated from the position he had taken on the Hustede affair and that his report to Capt. Clarke, harbor master, had been delayed until after the Admiral had sailed for the south, was incorrect. The report passed through the regular channels, and the Admiral had nothing to do with any delay that may have occurred in their reception by Captain Clarke.

To Beautify the Grounds.

An effort, it is pleasing to hear, will be made to beautify the beautiful grounds of the Jubilee Hospital. There are some 19 acres in the tract delightfully situated, and which with some trouble can be transformed into a beautiful park. Steps will be taken to have the grounds laid out artistically and then by the citizens taking a tree or a few flowers out of their gardens they can assist in making the place what they would all like to see it.

Special Card.

As the public have so generously contributed to the success of my great reduction sale, I am induced to continue it for one month longer on the same terms. Here are the most liberal prices ever offered in British Columbia or elsewhere: $10 pants for $7, $12 pants for $8, $14 pants for $10, $16 pants for $12, $30 suits for $25, $35 suits for $30, $40 suits for $35. All work guaranteed a perfect fit or no sale. J. McCallum, "The Famous Californian Tailor," 43 Fort street, Victoria, B. C. Prompt and careful attention to letter orders. Samples mailed. m29-1m

Chemainus Saw Mill.

Business is booming at Chemainus at present, says the Free Press. The old saw mill is turning out 30,000 feet of lumber per day. Work is also well advanced on the new mill, the framework and plant of which is already on the ground. Messrs. Williams & West have the contract for the piling, and will rush their part of the work to completion. The new mill will be ready to cut this season. The Lumber Company are putting up twelve neat six roomed cottages near their works for the accommodation of employees, and are doing all else in their power to make every department of their business convenient and profitable.

On a Prospecting Trip.

A party of prospectors consisting of T. D. Jones, A. Raper, B. Raper, E. Evans, J. W. Stirtan, W. Williams, H. Kirk and William E. Webb left Nanaimo by the steamer Rainbow for Texada. The party prognosticate great returns from their various investments on Texada Island, which they aver will yet surprise a great many of those who have given up the the claims they held there. Many of those who went to Texad at the beginning of the excitement did not wait to prospect the ground, but took up a claim here and there by merely driving in their stakes. Tuesday morning while trying to make lines fast, a seaman named M. Simooen lost his balance in a small boat, fell overboard and was drowned.

The tug Lorne towed the bark Margaret up to Moodyville yesterday morning and went to Departure Bay in the afternoon for coal, arriving there at 7 in the evening. She left again this morning for the Cape seeking.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—The ship A. J. Fuller arrived in port yesterday after an unusual passage. She left New York January 14th. On March 11th the English ship Borrowdale from Liverpool for Honolulu, and on May 11th the American bark Guy C. Ross bound south with "all well on board" were spoken.

THE SEALING QUESTION.

Captain Hulton of the Amphion Interviewed on the Matter.

A rumor was current on the streets to-day that a deputation of those interested in sealing matters had interviewed Capt. Hulton, of the Amphion, on the question ever uppermost in the mind of Victorian sealers—the much-vexed sealing question. Enquiry was made, but little could be learned from parties here. Capt. Hulton was called upon in reference to the report, and said that no interview had been had by him with any of the sealers. Further he said he understood that they had not authorized to listen to any complaint on these matters and could only be communicated with through His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor; but even then he could not act unless specially ordered by the Home Government. It was an order from the Home Government that whenever a man-of-war was in a place where she could communicate readily with the Home Government, the captain can never, except in the extremest cases take upon himself to act in any way calculated to be construed as warlike.

Captain Hulton could not, if he had them, divulge any orders from home, and that the future movements of the Amphion are a mystery as far as he knows. He sincerely hopes and believes that this matter of the sealing question will be settled in all good time by the Home Government, and while in his position he has no voice, he would as a man advise moderation on the part of those interested in the industry. The three mile limit should not be passed, and masters of the sealing schooners should not take advantage of thick fogs, and run across the limits, and then plead ignorance of their position. He also hoped that no trouble would rrise, and personally did not think it would. Able statesmen were considering the matter, and it would be attended to justly. Further information he could not give, even if he had it, and from the tone of Captain Hulton's remarks there is no probability that the Amphion will be ordered to enter into active warfare with the United States.

GOING TO NANAIMO.

Mr. Robert Erskine Will Engage in Business on His Own Account.

Mr. Robt. Erskine, who has been in the employ of Ames Holden & Co., of this city, as accountant and bookkeeper, and formerly with Mr. W. Heathorn in the same capacity, has resigned his position for the purpose of engaging in business on his own account. The boot and shoe business in Nanaimo, until recently carried on by Whitfield Bros., was some time ago purchased by Mr. A. B. Erskine, who has again transferred it to his brother, Mr. Robert Erskine, who takes charge next week. Mr. Erskine having for a number of years been engaged as traveller for Offner & Co., is personally well known to the business men of the province. As a resident of this city, also, he has made many warm personal friends; while by his active participation in church work, his services as a school trustee and his advocacy of moral and social reforms, he has come to be recognized as a useful and honored citizen. All who know him will wish him prosperity in his new departure.

POLITICAL ENERGY.

The Energy of the Government and of the Opposition Explained.

The Colonist expatiates on the singuwant of ability, energy, etc., manifested by the Opposition, and, by parity of reasoning would have the electorate to understand that the Government are the people to support. All this is pretty good, since the Government all through this campaign have, besides losing two newspapers, been thrown wholly on the defence. If this does not indicate weakness, then what does? We give the Opposition credit for rone too much energy in prosecuting the advantages which the Government by a series of egregious blunders have thrown in their way. That, however, the Opposition have wanted in energy to prick the bladder of Government pretension goes without saying. Had the Opposition displayed the same zeal in bringing out a ticket in Yale and at divers other points on the Mainland and Island that they have in argument, the opposing parties in the House would have been nicely balanced, and the Hon. John Robson would have been compelled to rise above peddling out appropriations to hold his job. But though the Opposition have lacked organization, and have failed to push their manifest advantages after the fashion of "practical politicians," the result of the elections will unquestionably show a gain in numerical strength, while taking into consideration the Independents and other timber that will be elected, the Government will not have as plain sailing as before. The Colonist's notions of energy are somewhat misty. If energy consists of passing a mineral act and then rescinding it before the ink is dry, then of course the Government is superlatively energetic. If energy consists in passing a constitution act and apologizing for it, then the Government has no peer. If energy consists in a politician standing for two constituencies, the Hon. John Robson exemplifies the kind of energy that Cæsar displayed at the battle of Munda; he is fighting, not for victory, but for his life. But, enough of this.

NAUTICAL NOTES.

Items of Interest Along the Water Front—General Marine News.

The Queen leaves here on Monday, on her first trip to the north.

The Princess Louise is going to be put on the Westminster route in place of the Yosemite.

The Union Pacific will probably name one of the new steamers to be placed upon the Olympia-Port-Townsend-Victoria route "The Port Townsend."

Schooner Mary E. Anderson which arrived yesterday reports that on last

Social and Presentation.

The Gorge Road Church last night was the scene of a pleasant gathering, being a farewell social to Mr. Baer, gotten up by the people of that church. Mr. N. Shakespeare was called to the chair and opened the meeting. After the singing of a hymn, Mr. T. G. Rayner led the congregation in prayer. Light refreshments had been provided and a good musical programme was rendered. Mr. H. M. Wright sang with much feeling a song entitled "Gathering the Myrtle." Mr. H. Firth sang two songs in his fine tenor voice, to the delight of the audience. Mr. H. Berridge played a violin solo, the accompaniments being played by Miss Berridge. Short and spicy speeches were made by Messrs. S. Gray, John Jessop and A. J. McLellan, expressive of the high regard in which Mr. Baer is held by all his friends, and wishing for him a most happy and successful future. But the most interesting part of the programme was a presentation to Rev. Mr. Baer, the retiring pastor, a magnificent [illegible] though a bachelor, has authorized us to say he understands perfectly the significance of the gift. The presentation on behalf of the congregation was made by Mr. W. H. Bone, who in a few well-chosen words expressed the good will of the congregation, and their wishes for the future happiness of their departing minister. Mr. Baer made a suitable reply, but said he would defer his parting words to his people until next Sunday evening, when he will preach his leave taking sermon. He carries with him the good wishes of all his people.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

knows. He sincerely hopes and believes that this matter of the sealing question will be settled in all good time by the Home Government, and while in his position he has no voice, he would as a man advise moderation on the part of those interested in the industry. The three mile limit should not be passed, and masters of the sealing schooners should not take advantage of thick fogs, and run across the limits, and then plead ignorance of their position. He also hoped that no trouble would rrise, and personally did not think it would. Able statesmen were considering the matter, and it would be attended to justly. Further information he could not give, even if he had it, and from the tone of Captain Hulton's remarks there is no probability that the Amphion will be ordered to enter into active warfare with the United States.

Miners Leaving Comox.

A large number of miners left Comox to-day and came to this city, says the Nanaimo Free Press. When asked the cause of their leaving the Union mines, they stated they had been "sacked," but were at a loss to know what it was for.

To-Morrow's Concert.

The following well selected programme will be given at Beacon Hill to-morrow by the Victoria Park Band:

Grand March—Reception	DeLacy
Selection—Il Travatore	Verdi
Grand Fantasia.... Moody and Sankey Melodies.	
Grand March—Albert Edward	W. H. Lee
Overture—Pauline	J. T. Bartle
Chorus—Heavens are Falling	Fralevin
Descriptive Sketch—Sunset Valley	By request
Grand March—Progress	Betridge

NATIONAL ANTHEM.

Political.

The candidates nominated in Esquimalt are Hans Helgesen, C. E. Pooley and D. W. Higgins. Mr. Helgesen, the Opposition candidate, has excellent prospects for election. The farmers and resident electors will give him a generous support. The voter's list contains the names of about 150 absentees and dead men, and it is difficult to form an estimate of the voting strength of the several candidates; but this fact is generally admitted. Mr. Higgings' former majority is at present absent from the country. They were railway and dry-dock employees.

In Comox.

The Free Press learns from its Comox correspondent that considerable excitement prevails in that district in view of the coming political struggle. There are only two candidates in the field, viz: Mr. J. McPhee and Mr. J. Hunter, general superintendent of the E. & N. railway, who were to be nominated on Friday.

We also learn the mines are in excellent condition, and the health of the district is everything that could be desired.

Sunday School Excursions.

The Sunday school people of the Gorge Road Methodist Church have chartered the steamer Rithet for an excursion to Pelder Bay on 1st of July. The fare will be 75 cents for the round trip.

The St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Sunday School children will hold their picnic at Langford plains next Saturday. Special trains will be run to carry out visitors.

New Firm.

Messrs. F. E. Debeulle and George Cruikshank, the former a well-known accountant for many years with Matthews, Richards & Tye, and the latter lately manager of the Bank of British Columbia at Nanaimo, have formed a partnership to carry on a real estate and general accounting business. They are both well and favorably known in the community.

Board of Directors.

The first board of directors of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital came into office to-day, that is the gentlemen who shall represent those who have subscribed towards the building fund. They are W. C. Ward, E. A. McQuade, Chas. Hayward, Joshua Davies, Henry P. P. Crease, W. M. Chudley, Alex. R. Smith, A. A. Green, C. E. Redfern, together with three others who shall be appointed to represent the Government on the board.

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Per Str City of Kingston from the Sound—F Goodwin and wife, Miss Smoting, Mrs Masden and daughter, H Orme, C F Melor, J H Simpson, H Keles, J Moran, C Lucas, W A Stevens, J H McMillan, J Cornell, J J Mills, G S Reeves, G C Darrup, A H Paboski, G Bush, W Flint and wife, G Martin, J Tonner, Mrs Galbraith, J W Tyson, F Williams, Dr. J J. Buckley, G S Bush, Mrs Bramstead, S Holbrook, H T Jas, W H Taylor and wife, Mrs Kreeky, J Hickey, A Strong, J C Wilson and wife, H Watkins, F J Sabschider, Mrs Owing, Mrs Black, D R Ker, M Ellis, J Aubrey, S Sinclair, E Marston and wife, P Hornady and wife, Mrs Cooper.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—Mrs W P Phillips, Wm Banks, W K Joscelyn, A Borland, C F Lowe, M M English, A St Geo Hammersley, J K Crane, M L Lloyd, A H Mims, A S Phillips, A Lunday, G H Rice, M Hayes, C S Thomas, O J Munn, K Carlister, W Neve, E G Handy, L Pither, A L Sussman, T H Miller, Mrs G H Allen, D Nichols, A Ewen, S Luff, W G Tretheway, Chagnon original, M P Handy.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound—[illegible] S Wilson and wife, H H Gomes, F Fellows, H Cohn, Geo Allen, L G Barrett, G Howard and wife, Jud Jager, W R Kelsey, O Ilenis, C H Craig, L Stout, P Bennett, Thos Walker, W Morgan, Thos Cook, M Smith, Mrs Fenton, I Tenney and wife.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str City of Kingston from the Sound—J P Davies, A H Erskine, A G Leask, Jno McKillop, Albert Iron Works, A D Arnold, Ross & Hall Co, Langley & Co, Sing Ken, Henderson, Dominion Kingsen Co, National Electric Tramway Co, C A Schooley, S G Prior, Hip Lung, C D King.

Per the Steamer Islander from Vancouver—J Hastie & Co, M W Waitt & Co, E G Prior & Co, T M Sinclair & Co, H Miller, P McGuire & Son, Van Volkenburgh & Bro, J H Todd & Son.

Saw Mill Machinery.

Among the freight arriving last night was a portion of the machinery from Peterboro for Lossee & Morrison's saw mill at Shawnigan Lake. The mill, which will cut about 20,000 feet per day, will be in operation in about two weeks time.

Ice Cream at Steitz Bros. m3-tf.

A Boon to Mankind.

The quickest, surest and best remedy for rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, sore throat, soreness and lameness, is Hagyard's Yellow Oil. It quickly cures sprains, bruises, burns, frostbites, chilblains, etc. For croup, cold, quinsy, etc., take 10 to 30 drops on sugar, and apply the oil externally also, when immediate relief will result. *

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE TO CARPENTERS.

A COMMUNICATION WAS RECEIVED by the Victoria Carpenters Union from the Chicago Carpenter's Council stating that the men have not yet definitely settled the 8 hour question with the contractors of Chicago. All carpenters are warned to keep away from that city until the strike is declared off.

G. FARQUHAR,
my31-1t Rec. Sec. Carpenters' Union.

ROYAL HOSPITAL

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THIS INstitution up to and including the present date, are to be sent to the undersigned not later than Saturday next, the 7th of June.

This Institution has now been closed, and all business in connection therewith transferred to the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital from this date.

J. STUART YATES,
Hon. Sec.
Victoria, 31st May, 1890. my31-td

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Victoria, B. C., 31st May, 1890. my31

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Registered Householders and Freeholders of
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WILL BE HELD
On Monday, 9th day of June, 1890,
AT THE CITY HALL
Commencing at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the Trustees.

By order of Board of Trustees.
my31-td R. WOLFENDEN, Secretary.

A CARD OF THANKS.

THE COMMITTEE OF THE B. C. BENEVOlent Society beg to tender their sincere thanks to the Victoria Operatic Society for the sum of $202.35, net proceeds of the "Eminie" [illegible] and for the great pains taken by all the ladies and gentlemen who took part in the production of the opera with such complete success.

W. H. MASON,
m29-1w Sec.-Treas. B. C. B. Soc'y.

AUCTION SALE.

I am instructed by J. Boscowitz, Esq., to sell by public auction at his residence, Pandora street on

Tuesday, June 3rd.

AT 11 A. M.

1 Landau by Hooper & Co., of London.
1 Ralli Cart " " "
1 Express Wagon with pole.
1 Double Set Brass mounted Harness.
1 Single Set " " "
1 " " Silver " " "
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Vehicles etc. can be seen between 11 and 1, and from 3 to 5 daily upon application at the house.

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W. R. CLAIRKE,
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ELECTION CARDS.

TO THE ELECTORS

OF THE

City of Victoria.

GENTLEMEN:

I am a candidate for the representation of the City of Victoria in the Legislative Assembly as an independent supporter of the present Government, and I respectfully ask for your votes at the general election.

Faithfully yours,
CHARLES WILSON.
Victoria, 19th May, 1890. my21

TO THE ELECTORS

OF

Victoria City.

GENTLEMEN:

Having been selected by those opposed to the present local government as one of four to contest the ensuing general election in their interest, I beg to announce myself as a Candidate at the forthcoming election in opposition to the government, and trust you may favor me with your votes and support.

I shall shortly take the opportunity of placing my views on public matters before you.

Yours respectfully,
F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.
Victoria, B. C., May 12th, 1890. my12-tds

TO THE ELECTORS

OF

Victoria City.

GENTLEMEN:

Having been solicited to stand as a candidate at the approaching Election for the Local Legislature, I have consented to do so, and solicit your vote and support.

I hope to have the pleasure of addressing you at as early a date as possible, when I shall place my views before you.

Yours respectfully,
my19 G. L. MILNE.

TO THE ELECTORS

OF

Esquimalt District.

GENTLEMEN:

At the earnest solicitation of numerous friends I have decided to offer myself as a candidate to represent your District in the Legislative Assembly and respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

At an early date I shall ask you to meet me in order to enable me to place my views before you upon the political issues.

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